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MANY KILLED IN BRIDGE CRASH!

JAPAN'S TOBACCO LOSS HEAVY

Coaches Submerge In Raging Torrent As Bridge Collapses

Death Toll Estimated at Forty But Final Figures Will Show Seventy Missing—Stream, Ordinarily Dry, Was Swollen by Cloudburst and Roar of Rushing Water Could Be Heard 3 Miles—One Car Swept 100 Yards and Occupants Were Engulfed—Pathetic Scenes as Many Scream For Help While Clinging Frantically to Wreckage—Spectacular Rescues Effected.

(By The Associated Press)

DENVER, Sept. 28.—A special to the Post from Casper, Wyoming, says one of the submerged cars of Burlington train Number 30 which plunged into Cole Creek near Casper last night, has been pulled from the stream and eight persons were found alive in it.

(By The Associated Press)

57 PERISH, LATES TREPORT.

NORFOLK, Neb. Sept. 28.—Information received in Chicago and Northwestern offices here shortly before noon was that 57 persons perished in the Burlington wreck near Casper, Wyoming. Burlington and Northwestern tracks run on opposite sides of the river at the scene of the wreck.

LIST OF NAMES UNKNOWN.

(By The Associated Press)

CHICAGO, Sept. 28.—Twenty-eight out of 32 Pullman passengers and six out of 27 day coach passengers are known to have escaped death when Chicago, Burlington and Quincy Railway train number 30 plunged into a torrent last night near Lockett, Wyoming.

At noon today not a single name of the two score or more persons believed to have been drowned had been received at the general offices here.

CASPER, Wyo., Sept. 28.—The loss of life late last night when Chicago, Burlington and Quincy passenger train number 30 went through a bridge over Cole Creek, 14 miles east of here, is estimated at approximately 40 persons. The stream, ordinarily dry during the summer, was swollen into a raging torrent by heavy rains of yesterday and the roar of rushing waters over the coaches could be heard three miles.

One passenger coach was swept one hundred yards into the Platte River which at that point is more than a mile wide. It is believed that no passengers in that coach were saved because by the time the rescuers could have gone to their assistance, the coach had rolled over on its side and become completely submerged.

It is believed that it will be 24 hours or more before many bodies can be taken from the submerged cars. Most of those drowned may have been washed out of the cars because of the terrific current of the stream.

Several bodies were removed from partly submerged cars this morning but names of victims are still lacking and the full casualty list probably will not be known until waters from the cloudburst recede to the point where coaches now completely submerged can be entered. It is understood that the first bodies removed were to be taken to Glen Cross, across the Platte river. It is probable that several bodies were washed downstream and wil lnever be recovered. A relief train whic hreturned to Casper during the night brought back some 30 survivors, most of them from rear pullmans of the train which escaped the washout. Many of these people, minus their clothes were still in a car at the station here this morning.

Among those believed to have perished in the wreck were train Conductor Guy Goof, of Cheyenne; Ed Spangler, engineer of Grey Bull, and Olie Malon, fireman, of Casper.

Although one of the lightest ticket sales in years was reported here by the Burlington railroad, it was believed that the final list of persons aboard the train would show possibly seventy persons missing.

The wreck occurred at an isolated spot near Lockett and it was not until hours afterward that some details of the accident became known here. The train plunged into the creek swollen to many times its normal depth because of cloudbursts and heavy rains and passengers were engulfed in the raging torrent that poured through the channel with little or no chance of escape.

A wrecking crew sent from Casper found upon arriving at the scene of the tragedy that the work of attempting to rescue those caught in the crash was practically impossible dur-

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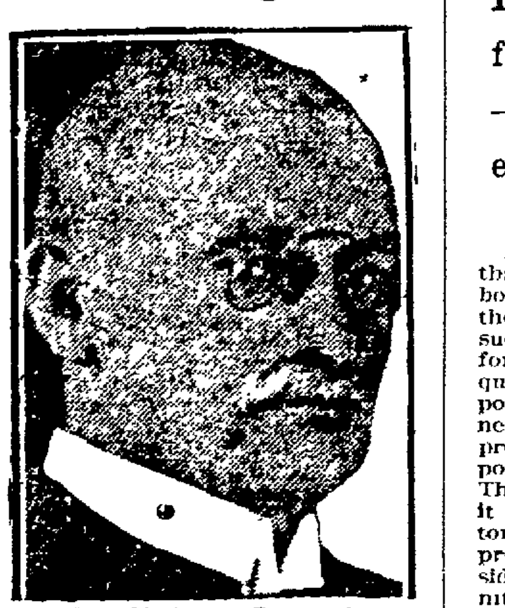
In News Again



Dr. Von Knilling, Bavaria's premier, has again jumped into the limelight, through the Separationist movement there.

Fire Prevention Week Plans For City Perfected

Steps were taken yesterday afternoon by the Public Welfare Committee of the Chamber of Commerce towards the observance of National Fire Prevention Week, which this year begins October 7th and which will be running during the week of the Fair.

The committe edecided to go seriously into the matter of fire prevention before the people of the community, various committees being appointed to work out the details.

James T Catlin, Jr., and R. K. Linville were appointed a committee to arrange for a booth at the Fair Grounds where helpful literature will be available. John B Harvie and Rev J. M. Shelburne, D. D., were appointed a committee to arrange for speakers during Fire Prevention Week in the churches, the schools and in the theatres. W B Smith and A. H. Taylor were appointed a committee on publicity.

Fire Chief Mitchell will be asked to prepare for exhibition in the city schools a fire alarm box in order that the school-children may be instructed how to act in an emergency.

W. Howard Neal Died Early Today.

The death occurred at 2:30 o'clock this morning of W. Howard Neal at his home on East Stokes street where he had bene since his discharge from the General Hospital. Mr. Neal, who was born in Caswell county, N. C., was 61 years old and was brought here several weeks ago for treatment. He was found to be suffering from a complication of diseases Mr. Neal, who was well known in Caswell and Pittsylvania was married 26 years ago to Miss Alma Hodges, who survives, with one sister, Mrs. J. B. Powell, of this city. The funeral will be held on Saturday at 3 p. m. from Moon Creek Baptist church.

Seek Rehearing In Bond Issue Before Court Of Appeals

Counsel for School Board Has Not Given up Fight—Issue Can Be Placed Before People at Any Time—School Board to Consider Problem Further.

It was announced this morning that counsel for the city school board in the litigation following the school improvement bond issue will apply for a rehearing before the Supreme court, the request being made that an opportunity be given these attorneys to appear before the Supreme court in order to argue the points of law involved orally. This is not infrequently done and it was made plain today that attorneys against whom the Supreme court decision do not consider that the door has been definitely closed.

The set back suffered by the proponents of the $350,000 school improvement bond issue and incidentally the $50,000 sewer improvement issue through the decision rendered yesterday has not discouraged them from further effort It was indicated today that further steps will be taken by the school board looking to the sanction of the city council in calling another election for the purpose of placing the question once more before the people but not before an opportunity has been given for an intensive campaign.

It was learned today that the finance committee of the school board will hold a meeting within a few days to consider the situation and that some definite recommendation will be made at the next regular meeting of the school board to be held in October

The impression prevailed in some quarters this morning that another bond issue election for schools could not be held under six months. Enquiry made of City Attorney A. M Aiken whose original construction of the city charter's language is now sustained by the Supreme court revealed that this is not necessarily the case.

Mr. Aiken upon request made a hurried examination of the law bear-

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LATE NEWS

(By The Associated Press.)

SOFIA, Sept. 28.—The city Ferdinandovo was occupied today by government forces. The communist revolutionary elements thus lost their last center resistance. The occupation was made possible by the capture Berkowitza, Wednesday night, this success opening the way to Ferdinandovo.

Fifty soviet republics established by the communists in various towns, have been put down in the past few days by the government troops, according to official reports. These soviets were established mostly in northern Bulgaria, where the communists were supplied with machine guns and employed cavalry.

(By The Associated Press.)

PARIS, Sept 28—A Havas dispatch from Vienna says it is rumored there that a republic has been declared in Turkey. There is no confirmation of the rumor from any direct source.

(By The Associated Press.)

BELTON, S C, Sept. 28—The Stringer block of Belton was practically destroyed by fire early today with a loss estimated at $50,000 Outside help was called for when the flames threatened to get out of control and a truck from Anderson responded.

(By The Associated Press.)

WASHINGTON . . —Any lease of the Carolina, Clinchfield and Ohio Railroad which would give the Louisville and Nashville and Atlantic Coast Line roads exclusive right in its operation would be "injurious—almost ruinous" to the interests of Charleston, S. C., and the Southeast generally, John P. Grace, mayor of that city, testified today before the Interstate Commerce Commission.

(By The Associated Press.)

ATHENS, Sept 28—It is understood that the Greek government has decided to accept the decision of the Allied conference of ambassadors, awarding the Greek indemnity deposit of fifty million lire to Italy A note to this effect will be handed to the French minister today, it is expected. The note will also express regret that the ambassadors conference did not await termination of the international inquiry into the Janina massacre before making its decision.

Less Concern Over Bavarian Situation

German Chancellor and Cabinet More Anxious Over Impending Adjustment of Foreign Relations.

(By The Associated Press.)

BERLIN, Sept. 28.—Chancellor Stresemann and the members of his cabinet were less concerned today over the Bavarian situation than as to what the immediate future holds in store for the government with respect to the impending new adjustment of its foreign relations.

With Adolph Hitler and his "fascisti" following subdued for the moment, the Berlin government is satisfied that the Bavarian authorities, in collaboration with the commander of the federal troops, will be able to control the situation there Government reports this morning indicated normal conditions prevailed in Munich, Nuremburg, Augusburg, and other points in Bavarian territory.

Chancellor Stresemann has resumed active contact with the envoys of the entente and was in conference last night with English and French ambassadors and the Belgian minister. The subjects presumed to have been discussed were the question of the early resumption of formal negotiations and the attitude of the allied powers toward the German reparation proposal of June 7.

The government, it was stated, has presented two candidates for the German ministry at Brussels, as Dr. Landsberg will not return to his former post as German diplomatic representative in Belgium.

Tropical Storm Off So. Atlantic Coast

(By The Associated Press.)

WASHINGTON Sept 28.—The weather bureau reported at 10 a m today that the tropical storm off the South Atlantic coast was centered at [illegible] latitude 32 longitude 75 and moving northeastward Winds of hurricane velocity have been recorded

Storm warnings have been lowered at and south of Charleston, S. C., but northeast warnings remain displayed at the mouth of Chesapeake Bay and along the North Carolina coast.

Wind Blows 41 Cars Off Track

(By The Associated Press.)

KIMBALL, Neb., Sept. 28.—Forty-one empty freight cars were blown off the tracks of the Union Pacific Railroad near Pine Bluff, Wyoming, about 30 miles west of here by a high wind yesterday afternoon, according to meagre telephone message reaching here. The wind storm seemed to have limited its destruction to the railway as the town of Pine Bluff is said to have escaped damage and none of the train crew on the freight was injured.

Quarter Of Million Pounds Of American Leaf Is Destroyed

Cablegram From Tokio Received by Department of Commerce Reveals Extent of Quake's Damage to Leaf in Storage—Two Cigarette Plants Wiped Out.

Two of the largest cigarette factories operated by the government in Japan together with about one-fourth of the stock of American grown tobacco in storage there were destroyed in the recent earthquake and fire, according to cable advices received today by the Department of Commerce and relayed to The Bee by its Washington correspondent who a few days ago was asked to secure some definite information on the loss sustained.

A week ago the Department of Commerce cabled to Tokio for some information eagerly sought by the tobacco interests in this section but no reply was received. The correspondent then prevailed on the Commerce Department to renew enquiries and another cable was sent, a reply being received which will in a measure answer a question which has been sought more especially by the tobacco dealers in Virginia and North Carolina.

While the cablegram received from Tokio was not specific as the actual amount of tobacco destroyed it has been found possible to arrive at an approximate estimate from the statistics available at the Department of Commerce. It is estimated that 2,500,000 pounds of leaf tobacco, most of it being the Virginia-Carolina variety, was destroyed. Department of Commerce figures indicate that at the time of the earthquake disaster, ten million pounds of American grown tobacco was in storage in Tokio. The Japanese government's admission that one-fourth of this stock has been wiped out indicates, therefore, that two and a quarter million pounds has been lost.

The size and capacity of the factories destroyed are not given in the cablegram but Washington officials are of the opinion that they were among the largest, if not the largest, it being known that the two cigarette factories operated in Tokio by the Japanese monopoly are the greatest in the country.

These factories manufacture principally bright cigarette tobacco grown in Virginia and the Carolinas, and the stock of American-grown tobacco which was destroyed was also principally of that type.

It is understood by officials of the Commerce Department that the Japanese government had about a two years' supply of American-grown tobacco on hand at Tokio. For several years up to 1913 the Japanese government purchased about 5,500,000 pounds of American tobacco, and in 1920 the purchase was seven million pounds. But in 1922 the purchase was reduced to about two million pounds This would indicate that there were about 10,000,000 pounds of Virginia and Carolina bright tobacco in storage at Tokio at the time of the earthquake and that about 2,500,000 pounds were destroyed.

A prominent Danville tobacco dealer only a few days ago said that all of the local tobacco men were very anxious to discover the size of the loss in tobacco expected to have been sustained as result of the earthquake, fire and flood. He said that if the loss was a very heavy one, it might be expected that the Japanese government would place orders in the bright belt for tobacco this season in order to recoup the loss from the catastrophe Pemberton and Penn, Inc., who have represented the Japanese monoply in Danville for years, were also anxious to discover what the loss had been, but it was learned from one of the principals of the firm that all efforts to determine the loss both by direct cable and through other channels had not been successful The firm was aware, however, that the loss had been considerable.

Japan has been of recent years increasing its consumption of the American types of tobacco ever since opium was banned by governmental decree. The Japanese people have turned from the opiate to the less harmful narcotic and cigarette smoking has been steadily increasing in Japan. Japan produces a type of tobacco but it is very light and fragile and has no body and requires an admixture of American-grown tobacco to give it the proper smoking qualities. The figures on Japan's tobacco loss cited above may be taken as meaning that there will be an increased demand in the bright belt markets for leaf during the season

While the cable received in Washington gives the loss in Tokio, no mention is made of Kyoto where was established another large tobacco storage and where the earthquake did also extensive damage. In some quarters it was believed that the cablegram from Tokio was intended to include the entire tobacco loss in the island empire though this was by no means certain

WYO. TOWN IS FLOODED

(By The Associated Press.)

SHERIDAN, Wyo., Sept. 28.—Swollen by terrific rains, the waters of Big Goose and Little Goose creeks left their banks early this morning and dashed over wide sections of Sheridan. Scores of residents in the river bottom sections began packing their belongings preparatory to moving to places of safety. The water is standing one to three feet in various sections of the town.

Ruhr People Oppose Action Of Government

(By The Associated Press.)

DUSSELDORF, Sept. 28.—The impression voiced by French officials here is that the population in the Ruhr is taking a stand against the government's capitulation and is in favor of continuing the fight against the occupation without assistance from Berlin.

The idea is gaining ground among the French functionaries that opinion in the German population of the occupied area is beginning to swing vigorously against the government's capitulation. It is even feared in some quarters that German opinion is likely to crystalize into a definite movement to ignore Chancellor Stresemann's orders and try to continue the fight without Berlin's help.

Takes Off On Long Flight

(By The Associated Press.)

HOUSTON, Tex., Sept. 28.—Parker "Shorty" Cramer took off this morning at six o'clock beginning a flight from Ellington Field here to Bradford, Penn. Cramer hopes to complete the 1,744 mile trip in approximately 15 hours. He is attempting to break Scotty Crocker's record in his famous non-stop flight from the Gulf of Canada.

Life Insurance—"Buy from Bass."

MOVEMENT STARTED TO REBUILD SLEDD CHURCH

Four methodist ministers of the city and six representative laymen from the local Methodist churches met last night at the Wesley House for the purpose of discussing the building of a new church to replace that now known as Sledd Memorial Methodist church. For some months the pastor of the church, Rev. J. W Rustin has been stressing the need of larger quarters for this old and well known Methodist institution which was founded years ago under the auspices of Main Street Methodist church and which has done a good work in that section. With the growth of the Sunday school within the present conference year—or since Rev. Mr. Rustin was assigned the charge, the Sunday school has grown from 200 to 378 members and the imperative need of larger quarters has recently been stressed upon the presiding elder and the people of the church.

Last night's meeting was called for the purpose of discussing in a general way what might be done and to take he first steps towards the accomplishment of this object Those attending the meeting were first served supper by the ladies of the Wesley House—an institution which has been a factor for great good in that immediate vicinity during the past few years.

Folowing the supper Rev. S. J. Battin, presiding elder called the meeting to order and gave facts and figures supporting the argument that the time has come to build a new church. He stated that at the present time some of the Sunday scholars are instructed in the Wesley House and other classes are being taught in some of the homes of the community. This, it is declared, is one of the compelling reasons why a new church should be built. The tentative plan is to build a new house of worship on the corner of Floyd and Upper streets on a lot already owned by the church and to convert the present church into Sunday school quarters As yet no estimates on the cost of the undertaking have been secured but this is one of the tasks of the church committee which will be assisted in its deliberations by a co-operative committee of representatives from all the Methodist churches in the city. The committee appointed last night is composed of C. G Evans, J. L. Edwards, Frank Talbott, H M Martin, Mrs. J. H. Schoolfield, Jr., and W. L. Norton The church congregation is having accession constantly and so far this year forty-four new members have been added to the roster.

Sledd Memorial church holds a warm place in the heart of many of the best known ministers in the Virginia Conference today. It has been for many their first ministerial assignments and as such is as widely known throughout the conference as many of the larger churches because of the part it has played in the development of the spiritual lives of the men who undertook their first ministerial labors in it.

STEPS TO RE-ORGANIZE LEGION AUXILIARY TAKEN

First steps were taken yesterday afternoon towards the reorganization of the American Legion Auxiliary, at an enthusiastic meeting which was held in the auditorium of the Danville High School at four o'clock. Approximately forty women, all eligible for membership were present at the meeting which was addressed by Post Commander W. Keith H. Cousins and Major Henry A. Wiseman.

The net result of the meeting was the decision to apply for a new charter for the organization under the name of the American Legion Auxiliary instead of the "Women's Auxiliary of the American Legion" under which the organization has hitherto been known. Temporary organization was perfected a membership committee named and definite steps taken towards the application of a charter as soon as a roster of charter members has been made up.

The temporary officers elected are:

Mrs W. T Paxton, president
Mrs C C Johnson, vice-president
Mrs Richard P. Moss, secretary
Mrs A. B. Carrington, Sr., treasurer

The membership committee is headed by Mrs J Turner Hamlin and includes Mesdames L. Herman, George G Temple, W. B. Lewis and A. M Henderson

The meeting yesterday afternoon was opened by the singing of one verse of "America" following which the preamble to the Constitution of the American-Legion was read these being required at the meeting of every meeting of the organization. Rev John W Rustin, post chaplain, offered the invocation and Major Wiseman explained the purpose of the meeting introducing Commander Watch Cousins who pointed out the necessity of such an organization. He recited the role played by women during the war and declared that it was fitting that there should be in Danville an active auxiliary After explaining the usefulness of the organization, Mr. Cousins retired and the meeting was left in charge of the women attending who [illegible] to organize. Efforts will be made to secure a large charter membership and as soon as this has been done the charter will be applied for. The dues decided on were [illegible] part of which remains in the local treasury. After deciding to drop the name of the old auxiliary it was determined to organize [illegible] both at the Danville Fair grounds at which memberships both in the Legion and in the auxiliary will be solicited. The organization has decided to hold its meetings on the Monday following the fourth Sunday in every month, in the Memorial Mansion. The next meeting will be October 29th by which time it is expected that application for the charter will be forwarded.

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MARINES WIN IN RIFLE TOURNEY

(By The Associated Press.)

SAMP PERRY, O., Sept. 27. —The United States marine corps today won the national rifle team match, the feature event of the national rifle association tournament, with a score of 2,836, sixty-three points better than that made by the United States cavalry team, which finished second.

The match was fired over five stages and brought the tournament to an end today with its completion over the 1,000 yard range.

The United States infantry was third with 2,766. Fourth place went to the navy which outranked the coast artillery. Both these teams had scores of 2,760. Sixty-nine teams of ten men each competed. Assistant Secretary of War Dwight F. Davis presented the marines with the national trophy and complimented the men on their excellent shooting.

—Mrs. L. A. Beckner is spending the week-end at Gretna with Mrs. J. D. Kesler.

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TOBACCO NEWS

LOUISBURG TOBACCO MARKET HAS A BIG OPENING

LOUISBURG, Sept. 27—The Old Belt opened its house yesterday for the sale of leaf tobacco on the auction floor, and both houses in Louisburg will have block sales. Tobacco began to come in Monday and large crowds from quite a distance were coming in through the night. The Farmers Warehouse is run by S. S. Meadows, W. H. Allen, and B. N. Williamston, who are all well known tobacco men in Franklin and adjoining counties.

The Union Warehouse is being run by Watkins and Currin. The floors of both Warehouses were filled to the doors with dozens of wagons standing outside waiting to be unloaded.

The grades of tobacco are not good but the prices somewhere close to 21 cents. It is estimated that there is possibly more than two hundred and seventy-five thousand pounds on sale.

LOCAL MEETING

Union Local of the Tobacco Growers Cooperative Marketing Association will meet on Friday night at 7:30 o'clock at Bates' store. All members are urged to be present as business of importance will come up.

(Signed) K. E. GOSNEY.

SAYS N. C. MOST FOREMOST STATE IN AGRICULTURE

(By The Associated Press.)

RALEIGH, N. C., Sept. 27. —That North Carolina is the most fortunate of states agriculturally was the terse statement made by Frank Parker, statistician of the Co-operative Crop Reporting Service of the Department of Agriculture, on his return to his office here from a tour of crop inspection through the western part of the state. Mr. Parker and his assistant, W. H. Rhodes, Jr., traveled by automobile through Moore, Rutherford, Transylvania, Jackson, Buncombe, Caldwell, Watauga, Wilkes and Surry counties. Throughout the trip they maintained counts and classifications of all fields over one half and acre in size on both sides of the roads they traveled.

This state has, perhaps, the best average crop and livestock conditions it has ever experienced, said Mr. Parker.

Through various agents of the Co-operative Crop Reporting Service Mr. Parker is enabled to keep in close touch with agricultural conditions in all parts of the state. He summarizes information on crop conditions sent to his office from the various sections of North Carolina and makes public the results, and his conclusions for the benefit of the farmers of the state.

"During the Summer months," said Mr. Parker, "the Piedmont section, particularly the southern counties of that section, suffered from very dry conditions. This resulted in late plantings and growth. For the past six weeks this area has experienced good seasons, which have resulted, in good corn, grasses and other crops. Cotton has suffered most, but, being a dry weather plant, the July crop was good. The boll weevil has gotten all the squares made since August 1 in all of the main cotton belt, counties of the state. The peach crop was much shorter than expected, even during the harvesting season. The mountain counties generally have good crops and the agricultural apple crop, or those produced outside the commercial orchards, is better than has been expected.

"In the northern counties the buckwheat crop is the largest in years and is in fine condition. The wheat and oat crops for the entire Piedmont area have made the best yield in several years. Tobacco is generally good for this area, a heavier yield being expected on an increased acreage.

"The general impression throughout the Piedmont and mountain counties is that the average of crops is very high. Reports indicate that the same is true in the Coastal belt. Prospects are very favorable for not only good production, but good prices this fall. The farmers are generally optimistic, although they dislike to admit it.

EVIDENCE MAY CLEAR GREECE

(By The Chicago Tribune Service)

ATHENS, Sept. 27.—An Ipirote bandit, named Momos, volunteered sensational evidence to the interallied inquiry commission at Janina last night, which, if corroborated, proves Greece's innocence of the assassination.

According to the outlaw's statement, General Tellini was killed for personal vengeance for acts he had committed when stationed at Vallona and the slayers killed the other four men so there would be no witnesses to the crime.

The inter-allied commission proceeded immediately in automobile to Argyrocastro to investigate Momos' story.

Momos formerly served in the Albanian gendarmerie and then came to Greece when the Athens government promised an amnesty for former crimes committed in Greece on his promise to denounce the Cacavia murderers.

The Athens government is asking a postponement of the decision of the ambassadors council in Paris and the payment of indemnity to Italy until the inter-allied commission completes its inquiry into Momos' allegations.

A FAREWELL DINNER UNDER DIFFICULTIES

This shows the farewell dinner tendered the Russian delegate Joffe, (left in bed) under auspices of the Japanese delegate Kawakami (right) in the room of his hotel, Tokyo. Mrs. Joffe is shown seated. Even Joffe's illness did not prevent the Japanese from showing their respect.

U. of Va. Opens 100th Session

UNIVERSITY, Va., Sept. 27—The one hundredth continuous academic session of the University of Virginia was formally opened this morning when Convocation exercises were held in Cabell Hall. Dr. Douglas Freeman, of Richmond, was the chief speaker of the occasion.

President Edwin Anderson Alderman anndunced an increase in enrollment above the corresponding day last year of 144, making a total of 1735 in all departments up to date. Taking this as a basis he predicted that the registration for the session of 1923-24 would reach 1900 before the end of the University year.

Intermediate honors, which were awarded for the first time, were conferred upon twenty students of the college who have passed all the work of their first two years with an average of 85 or above. These students will not, in the future, be subject to the rules limiting absences from the University.

The twenty holders of intermediate honors are James Porter Baker, Jr., of Hillsboro, Va.; William Howell Cooper, Jr., Petersburg, Va.; Newton Van Lear Cowan, Vicksburg, Miss.; Hamilton Doanoe Darby, Jacksonville, Fla.; Albert Brown Dickey, Mounds, Okla.; Arthur Kendrick Ehle, Arlington, Va.; George Dandridge Gibson, Richmond, Va.; John David Glenn, Sheperdsville, Ky.; Howard Daniel Goldman, Richmond, Va.; George Taylor Gwathmey, Norfolk, Va.; Carl Frederick Happel, Fredericksburg, Va.; Comer Johnston Kimball, Atlanta, Ga.; Charles Louis Knight, Valrico, Fla.; Thomas Pickney, Jr., Richmond, Va.; Houston Reed Puckett, Columbus, Miss.; James Evans Riley, Richmond, Va.; John Richie, Ill., Washington, D. C.; Walter Brooke Stabler, Wilmington, Del.; David B. Wallerstein, Richmond, Va.; and Langbourne Meade Williams, Richmond, Va.

Dr. Freeman, who is editor of the Richmond News-Leader, spoke of the needs of higher education for better support from the people and from the commonwealth.

Among the gifts to the University announced by President Alderman were portraits of the late Richard Henry Whitehead, dean of the department of medicine, painted by Alpheus Cole and given by members of the medical faculty and students, and of Dr. Philip Alexander Bruce, painted by Prince Pierre Troubetzkoy and given by the Alumni Association in appreciation of the services of Dr. Bruce in writing the history of the University.

A check for $700 from the students and alumni of Minor Inn., of the Phi Delta Phi legal fraternity, for the establishment of a fund for expansion of the law library as a memorial to the late Raleigh C. Minor was announced as were the following other gifts. $10,000 from an anonymous donor for the establishment of the Richard Henry Whitehead scholarship in medicine. $1,000 from Dr. Seale Harris, of Birmingham, Ala., for the establishment of a scholarship in memory of his father, Dr. Charles Hooks Harris, and $200 from Jaquelin P. Taylor, of Richmond, to the forestry department.

Growth in every department of the University was announced by Pr. Alderman. In the college the registration up to last night was 1011, an increase of 61 over the same day last session, in the department of education 67, an increase of 25, in graduate studies 80, an increase of 29, in engineering 160, an increase of 3, in law 229, an increase of 3, and in medicine 188, an increase of 23.

Of the 54 women that have registered 4 are in the college, 30 in education, 11 in graduate studies, 3 in law and 6 in medicine.

President Alderman said that the University was faced with the task of training 5,113 men and women during the academic year. Of these the summer quarter brought 2581, while 542 are enrolled in extention classes and 80 are student nurses. The total is made up by adding 1900 as the probable total for the winter session.

"The true hero of the world is the scholar," said Dr. Alderman as he welcomed the students to the opening of the one hundredth session. "I would place all emphasis upon the fact that the ultimate reason for the existence of every university in the world is to make scholars.

"The thing the scholar is looking for is always there. Win it and it is yours and mankind's forever. I would beg you that you let your imagination be touched by the quiet scholar who stands behind all the world's great reformations. My appeal to you young men and women of 1923 is to see the beauty and power of scholarship.

"Last year I dwelt upon our purpose to enlarge and enrich the field of social sciences here in their natural and logical home I now redeclare that the youth of the south today, by reason of the excellent racial stock and background constitutes the richest asset for authoritative leadership in this country. Handsome progress has been made toward this and toward the bexpansion of the graduate school so that it should become the crown of the institution."

RADIO BANQUET TO OPEN "Y" ACTIVITIES

All is in readiness for the radio banquet, the opening Fall event of the Young Women's Christian Association. The banquet is to be given on Friday evening at six o'clock in the Y. W. C. A. Recreation Hall. The occasion is primarily to bring together the various groups of girls in the association after the cessation of indoor activities during the warm Summer months. It is thought there will be a hundred or more girls to sit down to the supper planned by the popular hospitality committee of the Y. W. C. A. There will also be the board members and a few others to share with the girls in what promises to be a very happy get-to-gether party. The program for the banquet is as follows:

"Hymn of Lights."

Toastmistress—Miss Agathe C. Daniel, whose theme will be "Broadcasting."

Those who will respond to toasts are:

Mrs. L. O. Crumpler—"Aerial."

Mrs. Achibald D. Keen—"Receiving." President of the Y. W. C. A.

Miss Walker Sneed—"Static." President of the Business Girls Club.

Miss Mabel Cole—"Tuning In." President of the Industrial Girls Club.

Mary Clark "Batteries." Member of Girl Reserves.

Elise Savage will give a few impressions of "Sweet Briar."

Miss Mattie Jones will give a few "Echeos from Camp Oziya."

Miss Della Clifton and Miss Maggie Wall will tell what the Bryn Mawr Summer School for Industrial Workers meant to them.

The beautiful Y. W. C. A. song "Follow the Gleam," will close the program.

NOT SURPRISED AT MARTIAL LAW IN GERMANY

(By The Associated Press.)

WASHINGTON, Sept. 27—Senator McKellar, Democrat, Tennessee in a statement today discussing the devel. opments in Germany, declared he was not surprised "at the statement that martial law has been declared in the German Republic or that there is open secession and revolution in some of states."

"So far as I could see," the senators statement, "Germany was the least prosperous of all the European states which I visited. She is suffering from enemies within and without. Her criminal industralists, led by Stinnes, are almost as much her enemies as the French led by Poincare. Stinnes and his crowd are in absolute control of the German government and have been since the republic began and they are exploiting the German people for the purpose of filling their own pockets."

"Therefore," he continued, "with attacks by enemies from within and without, revolution seems unavoidable. My hope is that this revolution will not be communistic in charcater. Its effect on the reparations question cannot be predicted at this time.

ITALIAN SQUADRON REMAINS

(By The Associated Press.)

ROME, Sept. 27.— The Italian squadron has been ordered to remain at Corfu until the fifty million lire in reparations are paid by Greece.

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MAKES REPLY TO WILSON LETTER

(By The Associated Press.)

KNOXVILLE, Tenn., Sept. 27.—Senator John K. Shields, in a prepared statement released here today in reply to a letter from former President Wilson recently published in Tennessee newspapers, declared the letter was "not called for and not published in the interest of the Democratic party but for the sole purpose of injuring me with the people of Tennessee."

The Wilson letter contained the phase:

"I regard Mr. Shields during my administration as one of the least trustworthy of my nominal supporters," to which the senator today made reply that "if that Mr. Wilson's accusation of untrustworthiness means that I could not be dictated to in the discharge of my great official duties as a senator representing a great state, he is right. If he means that during his administration I did not support the principles of the Democratic party and discharge my duties as a senator honestly and faithfully to the best of my ability, he is absolutely wrong."

Expressing profound sympathy for Mr. Wilson in his great and protracted affliction, Senator Shields said: "We cannot cherish resentment for anything he may now say. He is immune from criticism."

The senator charged any man to point a single instance in which he had failed to follow the Democratic platform and asserts that the head and front of his offending Mr. Wilson is found in his opposition to the propositions that the United States become a member of the League of Nations and take a mandate under the league for Armenia.

BANKER ADVOCATES REPEAL PROHIBITION AMENDMENT

ATLANTIC CITY, N. J., Sept. 27.—Repeal of the prohibition amendment was advocated today before the American Bankers Association convention by Waldo Newcomer, president of the National Bank division.

The constitution of the United States was never framed to be a code of commercial law but was meant to lay down the respective rights of the national and state governments, he said.

BRINGS NEWS OF KNUD RAMUSSEN

(By Chicago Tribune Service.)

COPENHAGEN, Sept. 27—Birket Smith, who has returned as the first courier from Knud Rasmussen, Arctic explorer, tells Mr. Rasmussen's route from Cape York. He stayed on a Danish island in the Winter of 1921 and January of 1922 and then started west for north Canada. He stayed at Chesterfield Inlet last Winter and started this Spring for Baker Lake. He found Esquimaux, named the Willows Tribe. He then started for Hikuligjuak Lake and here too he found the Willows Tribe, descending from Indians. The language here is the same as in Greenland, although there is no connection between the tribe and Greenland. The tribe never had heard of Greenland but their old myths tell of comrades wandering north to greater hunting fields.

Birket Smith found proofs that Greenlandian Esquimaux descended to the Willows Tribe, again descending to Chippewa Indians. The expedition has found proofs that no white Esquimaux is living.

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WHISKEY CURSE ON DRUG STORES

(By The Associated Press.)

BOSTON, Sept. 27.— "The greatest curse wished on the retail druggists of the country, was putting whiskey and alcohol into their hands," G. Schmeirer of Kansas City, asserted today at the convention of the national association of retail druggists here. Mr. Scheirer's statement was mad in reply to one made by Charles F. Mann, of Detroit, favoring tax free alcohol.

"We cannot afford to have tax free alcohol in drug stores," Schmeirer said. "The time is coming when you will be ashamed to say you are in the retail drug business. We must legislate liquor out of the drug business. It is a failure handled as it is. Liquor is going to be made and sold by bootleggers.

"We can go to the government and suggest that it establish dispensaries all over the United States to sell liquor at $2.50 or $3, a quart. The consumer will get good liquor and the bootlegger cannot live. The government will make its revenue and will cut down our taxes."

Describing conditions in Kansas City, Mr. Schmeirer asserted, that there are 400 drug store proprietors and that one rule only was demanded, that he must be a law abiding citizen and run his drug store according to laws of Missouri.

"We were not able to find 75 of the 400 who were law abiding citizens," he said.

Mr. Mann, in the address which precipitated the discussion said he felt the drug trade of the country was committeed to the high price of alcohol and that the average jobber and manufacturer likes the enormous tax placed upon it.

ROTARIANS HOLD INTER-CITY MEET

(By The Associated Press.)

ROANOKE, Va., Sept. 27.— The great intercity meet of Rotary clubs, held today at Rockledge Inn, was attended by more than 200 Rotarians representing eight Virginia cities, Roanoke, Radford, Pulaski, Covington, Hot Springs, Lynchburg, Lexington, Buena Vista and Christiansburg, and one West Virginia city, Bluefield.

The meeting was termed the most successful of its kind ever staged by the Rotary club in this section of the country, and was marked by the high spirit of good fellowship and enthusiasm.

The purpose of the meeting in creating a closer and better relation between groups of representative citizens in the neighboring towns was well carried out in the after dinner speeches when a representative from each club competed for the honor of giving the biggest boost to "the other fellow's town."

Rotarian Jim Frantz, of the Roanoke club, was awarded a set of valuable books offered as the prize, when nine judges agreed that he was able to produce more facts and figures in boosting Buena Vista than any of his competitors in boosting other towns.

Roanoke was given a splendid boost by Rotarian Tom Johnson of the Christiansburg club, who praised the schools, public utilities, churches, buildings, residential sections and everything in the make up of the city, but stressed above all the progressive spirit and splendid type of its citizenship.

Rotarian Bernard McClaugherty, Bluefield, declared that Lynchburg, like ancient Rome, founded upon its seven hills, had proved an asset to the state and community with its hoard of wealth, its progressive inhabitants and center of industry.

JURY REFUSED ENTRANCE

(By The Associated Press)

BIRMINGHAM, Ala., Sept. 27— The Jefferson county grand jury investigating reported convict brutalities at the Banner mines, today were denied entrance to the mines' leased convict camp preventing the investigators from getting an inside view of working conditions there.

The jury was accompanied by Solicitor James Davis, who issued a statement latter that "our main purpose in going to Banner was to receive an actual refusal from officials in charge. Efforts to enter Banner must now be confined to legal measures."

BEAUTIFUL HAIR, TOO

Mary Mullen was declared the most beautiful red-haired girl at the Syracuse (N. Y.) State Fair in a contest for redheads only. For winning she gets a week's vacation free at a big hotel in New York with a chaperone.

Bavaria Seethes With New Troops

(By The Associated Press.)

MUNICH BAVARIA, Sept. 27—Although quiet is reported to prevail throughout Bavaria, Dr. Von Kahr, the military dictator, has brought additional troops into Munich so as to be in readiness for any emergency.

The dictator has absolutely prohibited all assemblages of adherents of Adol. Hitler, the national socialist leader, and has declared that he and General Von Lossow propose to maintain order in Bavaria and carry out to the full the instructions of the Bavarian government.

Premier Von Knilling today notified the Berlin government that Dr. Kahr had been appointed to his present position owing to his influence with the nationalist organizations and because the Bavarian government was convinced of his absolutely loyalty. The central government thereupon appointed General Von Lossow as military commander in Bavaria, and gave to him instructions to cooperate with Dr. Von Kahr. Von Lossow has been in command of the Bavariam Reichswehr.

Dr. Von Kahr this morning conferred with the representatives of all the Bavarian patriotic associations, including the Hitler organization and demanded assurance that if he allowed the meeting scheduled for the evening they would guarantee that order would be observed. Hitler was not able to give such assurance whereupon Von Kahr announced that the meetings were prohibited. Hitler and the others vainly endeavored to induce Von Kahr to withdraw the ban.

The government considers the forces at its disposal adequate to suppress any outbreak but believes that Hitler and the other radicals will not allow matters to go the extreme. It is well known, however, that General Ludendorff, formerly Von Hindenburg's chief of staff, is behind the Hitler movement.

FEEL SHOCKS OF QUAKE AGAIN AROUND KERMAN

TEHERAN PERSIA, Sept. 27. — Severe quake shocks again have been felt at Kerman, where much damage has been done. Tremors also have been experienced at Bujnurd, Rafsenjan, Bain and Anar. It is reported that smoke is issuing from a mountain near Bujnurd.

Attacks Figures On Child Labor

(By The Associated Press.)

CHARLOTTE, N. C., Sept. 27— Characterizing as "a tricky and underhand use of statistics," the recent announcement of figures of the children's bureau of the department of labor showing more than 35 per cent. increase in child labor since the annullment of the federal child labor law, David Clark, publisher of the Southern Textile Bulletin, made public today a letter of protest, which he had written Secretary Davis.

Mr. Clarke pointed out that the periods selected for comparsion were the first six months of 1922, when there was unemployment and idleness and the first six months of 1923, which composed a period of unusual industrial activity, and declares that "there is no evidence that there was a greater increase in the mployment of young people of five to sixteen years of age, than of older persons nor is there any evidence that there was any employment in violation of state laws or outside of the limits of the recent federal child labor law.

"It was a tricky and underhand use of statistics, which conveyed to the public the idea that child labor had increased 35 per cent. since the federal child labor law had been declared unconstitutional and yet there was no evidence whatever that any of the increased employments was due in any way to the cancellation of the federal child labor law," said Mr. Clark's letter to Mr. Davis.

"An examination of the statistics shows that the larger part of the 35 per cent. increase was in states that have restrictions as high as or higher than the federal child labor law. It was a contemplible piece of work and we are informed that government funds paid for the publicity."

COMMUNISTS ARE DRIVEN OUT

BY LARRY RUE,

(By The Chicago Tribune Service)

SOFIA, Sept. 27.—(Radio.)—The Communists were seized and driven out of Kritichin, Bania, Kostenetz Istabanola on the railroad between here and Phillippo-Bolis and Ferdinandove, a village of 5,000 north of Sofia, during the last twenty-four hours. Although they succeeded in cutting the railroad between here and Phillippopolis in two places within fifty kilometers south of Sofia and made a sally twelve kilometers north, attempting to tear up the tracks there also, the minister of communications announces that communications have entirely been re-established. This, however, was not done before the Orient express from the South was delayed sixteen hours and a couple of wagons on the Burgas train, coming in the same direction, was derailed.

The government reports that not more than fifty armed Communists created the trouble between here and Phillippopolis, while not a great number more took part in the Ferdinadove coup.

The agrarians gave no assistance to the Communists, as arranged and the latter lost their nerve and permitted the train to proceed and fled to the hills, where they are now being sought.

REVOLT AGAINST SOVIET IN RUSSIA IS RUMORED

LONDON, Sept. 26.—A Reuter dispatch from Riga today says it is rumored that masses of insurrectionary peasants are surrounding Moscow and Petrograd. There is no confirmation of the rumors.

Graduate Nurse Finds "The Perfect Remedy"

"From my long experience as a professional nurse, I do not hesitate to say I consider Tanlac the most efficient and natural stomach medicine and tonic to be had. It is undoubtedly nature's most perfect remedy," is the far-reaching statement given out for publication, recently by Mrs. I. A. Borden, 425 Pontius Ave., Seattle, Washn, a graduate of the National Temperance Hospital, Chicago.

"I have used Tanlac exclusively for seven years in the treatment of my charity patients," said Mrs. Borden, "and my experience has been that for keeping the stomach, liver, kidneys and bowels functioning properly, and for toning up the system in general, it has no equal.

"About a year ago I had a lady patient who could not keep a thing on her stomach fifteen minutes, not even water. I prevailed on her to try Tanlac and after the sixth bottle she could eat absolutely anything she wanted without the slightest bad after-effects.

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LADIES' WAISTS—A beautiful selection of Ladies' Waists in French Voile and Dimity. Waists that usually sell for $2.98.. Belk's Price **$1.98**

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LADIES' COATS—Big assortment of the latest fall models in all the wanted materials and colors. They're Belk values and will go quick at special prices ranging from **$10.95** TO **$29.95**

LADIES COATS—Ladies new velour coats, good quality and priced right. They go at **$8.95**

CHILDREN'S COATS—Children's Coats, attractive models in Bolivia, plain and fur-trimmed. Priced from **$2.98** TO **$12.95**

LADIES' SWEATERS—Ladies all wool sweaters, college styles. Attractive values and a good buy for **$7.95**

GOLF SWEATERS—Ladies Golf Sweaters of brushed wool, the very newest of styles at **$6.95**

Ladies' Serge Dresses

SERGE DRESSES—Misses Misses Serge Dresses of the better kind, late models and good values. Prices range from **$14.95** to **$19.95**

SERGE DRESSES—A big assortment to select from, all wool serge dresses at **$4.95**

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Fur in Viatka, Cony and Sealskin, wanted colors **59c** to **$7.98**

White Maribou for the children's Coats, Special **59c**

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Jap Crepe, fast colors in solid and plaids **29c**

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Wool Suiting, 56-inch wide in checks and plaids **$1.98** to **$2.98**

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Dress Goods Specials

Beaded Ornaments and buckles in all the new patterns at **79c, $3.98**

Silk fringe in black and colors, three and six inches wide **$1.39** and **$1.79**

Striped Shirtings, neat patterns in stripes and check **29c**

Silk Striped Shirting, all wanted patterns **45c**

Fancy Ratine in new patterns, blue, tan and rose, 36 inch wide **79c**

Brocaded velvet, navy, black and brown, special **$2.29**

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Silk Duvetyn in colors, tan, navy and wall-flower **$3.39**

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Ladies' brown calf oxfords, low and medium heels, welt soles **$3.98**

Ladies' black and brown kid oxfords, military heel, goodyear welt **$4.95**

Boys' School Shoes, black and tan 100% leather.. .. .. .. **$2.48**

Men's Dress Shoes, black and tan **$2.98**

Men's Dress Shoes, in black and brown calf **$4.95**

Ladies' Satin and Suede Combination strap pumps, low rubber heels **$4.95**

Young Men's Dress Shoes, new fall styles at **$3.98** to **$5.98**

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SOCIAL ACTIVITIES

Honor Miss Herndon at Bridge

Miss Annie Herndon was honoree Thursday at an informal bridge-luncheon given by Mrs. Stanley Cunningham and Mrs. L. O. Crumpler at the home of Mrs. Cunningham on West Main street.

Prizes were given—handsome filet towels to Miss Herndon, the guest of honor, and hand-made handkerchiefs to Mrs. James Neal, who won top-score. Mrs. Robert Herndon came in after the game and the other guests were: Mrs. W. W. Robertson, Mrs. Mary Robertson, Mrs. E. T. Estes, Misses Bessie Wilson, Annie Herndon, Mesdames Robert Cust, W. B. Vansant, Clarence Herndon, Herbert Hoffman, Louis Kaufman, B. V. Booth, Mrs. James Neal.

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Dinner at Country Club

At the country club on Thursday evening, a body of representative women of Danville composing a Bible class which is led by Mrs. W. W. Ayres, gathered to celebrate the beginning of the winter activities of the church school of Main Street church, of which they are members.

The complete enrollment of the class numbers 86, of that number 65 answered to roll call last night and took their places around the beautifully appointed table, where dinner was served to them and their guests.

Mrs. Oliver Dudley gave an appropriate toast to Mrs. Ayres who responded in charming manner. Mrs. T. A. Smoot, Mrs. John Swanson and others made short speeches, expressing for the class, their appreciation of the beloved leader. Miss Christine Burns, in response to repeated calls, made a most delightful talk, expressing in her own charming way the joy al felt at being together on this happy occasion.

After-dinner games were entered into with enjoyment and the musical selections completed and closed one of the most enjoyable social functions of the fall seagon.

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Meeting of Junior Choir.

The Junior Choir of Main Street Methodist Church met with the Director, Mrs. A. T. Gunn, yesterday afternoon.

The following members were present: Misses Frances Westbrooks, Mary Lily Smoot, Frances Gregory, Kathleen Townes, Mildred Snyder, Julia Taylor, Elizabeth Roediger, Katherine Jones, ladys Poe. These young ladies have been invited to sing at the meeting of the Epworth League Sunday evening.

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Mr. Withers In Hospital.

Hon. Eugene Withers, well-known Virginia attorney, is a patient at Edmunds Hospital, where he has been advised by his physician to take rest and treatment.

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Educational Classes to Open

The Y. W. C. A. has had educational classes since the opening of the organization. The purpose of these classes is to help girls and women help themselves. The classes most in demand have been those in which millinery and dressmaking have been taught. Numbers of well dressed girls and women in Danville owe the accomplishment of making their attractive hats and gowns to the efficient instruction received in the Y. W. C. A. classes. Classes in the art of hat-making and dressmaking are now forming. There are classes in each of these branches for both day and evening.

The new folder containing detailed information of the Y. W. C. A. educational classes is just out. The scope of the educational work, is to be samewhat enlarged this fall. A class which cannot help but make an immediate apepal to the girls and women of Danvile is one in home economics. Mrs. Charlotte Richmond al classes since the opening of the will instruct those who desire to be better informed in the science of cookery. Mrs. Jacobs is a woman of broad experience in her line of work. The instruction given will cover just the things both the beginner and the housekeeper will most want to know. The housewives' class will meet twice a week for ten lessons. The evening class wil meet once a week. The fee is a nominal one for each class. There will be ample room for large groups, for the instruction will be given in the "Y. W." recreation hall. Those desiring t oregister for the home economics classes are urged to do so at once.

Another class which will apeal to those who love artistic as well as useful articles for the home is that of "arts and crafts". Miss Gwynn, who has recently come to the public schools of the city to instruct in the science of industrial arts will teach the Y. W. C. A. classes. Miss Gwynn has had excellent training and broad experience in her art. Instruction in this class covers making of baskets of afff sizes and shapes out of raffia or reed, trays and small lamps. The making of desk sets like those we like so much in the art stores for one's own desk will be one of the attractive features of this class. Flower-making and wax bead-making will also be included.

Classes in English to teach those who want to know how to speak and write better English, what to read and other informing bits of knowledge will make this class interesting to those who left school at an early age. There will be no fee for this class.

Any one desiring to either begin the study of French or to acquire a better knowledge of the language may do so under Miss Matilda Chatelaine's instruction.

A class in gymnastics will meet on Thursday evening. In this class will be setting-up exercises, marches and drills. Special training in basketball will be a feature of this class. The Y. W. C .A. girls are eager for a strong basketball team. All athletically inclined girls are urged to join this class.

Other clasess listed as special classes will be opened if a sufficient number apply are: first aid, home nursing, civics, mandolin and dramatics. A Y. W. C. A. orchestra is to be formed. Any girl who plays either the violin, mandolin, ukelele or guitar is asked to become one of the orchestra. A number of Y. W. C. A. girls are coming together for an evening a week to form the orchestra. Any girl who plays an instrument or who wants to know how to play is cordially aske dto join the griup. Classes in any branch will be formed if the demand is sufficient to engage an instructor. Eight or more are necessary for the forming of a class.

Classes in the subjects listed in the folder will begin the week of October eighth. Registrations are open now. Any information concerning the classes will be gladly given by either calling at the Y. W. C. A. or phoning to 1840. The Y .W. C. A. office is open from 9 a. m .to 9 p. m. with some one always there to give any

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Personals.

—D. Price Withers, Malcom K. Harris, B. M. Foster, Hannibal Martin, R. A. James, Jr., and E. Walton Brown, returned today from Morehead City, where they spent the past week in fishing.

A party of ladies motored from Reidsville yesterday to pay a visit to Sunnyside Home. Those of the party were: Mrs. R. R. Richardson, Dora Mills, Joe Womack, Will Pannell, Miss Sara Watt.

—Mrs. T. B. Betty, of Montgomery, Ala., is the guest of Mrs. E. J. Harvey, at Hotel Burton.

—Mrs. T. H. Maddox and Miss Jennie Murrie of The Plains, Fauqueir county, and Mrs. James Turner Christian of Williamsburg, who have been the guests of Mr. and Mrs. George Davis, returned home.

—Mrs. George Davis has returned from a visit to friends in Durham and Raleigh, N. C.

—Mrs. Ethel Flinn and son, Maurice, have gone to Atlanta, Ga., where they will spend the winter with Mrs. Howard Davidson. Mrs. Davidson gave a beautiful bridge-luncheon at the Georgian Terrace a few days ago in honor of her daughter, Mrs. Maddox and Mrs. Flinn.

—Hon. Eugene Withers is a patient at Edmunds Hospital.

—Barnet Lea has returned to Richmond after paying a visit to his family in Danville.

—Beverly Tompkins left yesterday for Roanoke on account of the illness of his father, G. W. Tompkins, who is at the Jefferson Hospital for treatment.

—E. L. Hatchett left this morning to spend a few days in Washington.

—Miss Christine Burns who has been the guest of Mrs. Charles G. Evans, will go to Roanoke tomorrow to visit friends. Miss Burns expects to return to Danville before going South for the winter.

—Mr. and Mrs. Robert Hairston of Reidsville, N. C., are the guests of Dr. and Mrs. Perry W. Miles.

—Mrs. J. M. Wooding of "Oakland," Halifax county who has been the guest of Dr. and Mrs. Miles, has returned home.

—Miss Bessie Allen is reported ill at her home on Worsham street, suffering from an attack of tonsilitis.

—Miss Homie Yeatts of the Community Welfare Association, has gone to Atlanta, being called there by the critical illness of her sister-in-law.

—Miss Carrie Pace and Mrs. James Scales Irvin left today for a visit to Mrs. Russell Ford at Pinhurst.

—Mrs. Harry Penn of Madison, is a visitor in the city.

—Mrs. Kume, of Culpeper, is the guest of Mrs. W. W. Williamson.

—Berkley Parsons, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Parsons, of Whitwell, Va., who was operated on Tuesday at Gail Hospital is getting along nicely.

—Mr. and Mrs. Frank Ach, of Buffalo, N. Y., are visiting Mrs. Ach's father, Mrs. W. B. Crowder, on East Thomas street.

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TOWN TOPICS

The fishing pond on the farm of W. N. Ruffin, near Purley, N. C., which was established about eighteen months ago by a group of Danville men, was washed out by an unprecedented rain which visited that section last Friday night. The weight of the water swept away part of the dam and in the gush of water a large quantity of bass and perch with which the two dammed creeks had been stocked were carried away. Thousands of fish, some of them weighing a pound and a half were found later lying dead in the weeds. Some twenty-five Danville men had an interest in the fishing pond. "Pete" Turner, Hamilton Vass, W. B. Foster and Thomas Fox were instrumental in establishing the fishing pond on which more than $2,500 had been spent.

The opening of Schoolfield's new $7,500 band stand on the knoll just above the Young Men's Christian Association was witnessed last night by an unusually large attendance of Schoolfield and Danville people. It was estimated that at the height of the concert between 2,500 and 3,000 persons were gathered about at points of vantage to listen to what was voted generally as one of the finest instrumental concerts ever given by a community organization. The seats arranged in front of the band stand were all taken and others stood on the street and in other parts of the enclosure to hear the Schoolfield band which has been developed highly by Prof. Joseph Vezetti during the past several months. The program was pleasing to all and afforded an opportunity of showing the full scope of the band, both in full throat and in the more subdued passages featuring local singers. The unusual accoustic properties of the band stand were clearly demonstrated, it being observed that those who could not get within good range of the stand could hear the selections in detail from a considerable distance. Hundreds of automobiles were parked in the vicinity. More than 40 uniformed players appeared on the platform.

A special morning service will be held at the First Baptist church on Sunday morning starting at 10:30 o'clock at which time the joint state million and Sunday school promotion program will be unfolded. The service has been prepared by M. L. Skaggs director of religious education. It is proposed to outline the year's work which will be done by every department of the Sunday school by the people of the school in order that the congregation may be acquainted with what it is proposed to accomplish. State mission features will be included. At the night service Rev. J. M. Shelburne will preach a special sermon on "The Fool."

No change was noted overnight in the condition of Miller Andrews, small son of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Andrews seriously injured Wednesday when struck by a truck on Paxton street. "The condition of the child is about the same" was the statement given out at the General Hospital at noon today. This means that the little boy is still in a critical condition as reports yesterday stated that the injury, a fracture of the skull, was a serious one.

The Danville Lions with their lioness will gather tonight at half past seven o'clock at the Country Club for supper. This is to be Ladies' night and a special programme is being arranged for the evening.

The revival meeting at Mount Cross school house which is being conducted by Rev. John N. Ragsdale and a band of faithful helpers, is growing in interest. Congregations are larger each evening. Services will be held Saturday evening at 7:30 o'clock. Sunday at 3 and 7:30 p. m.

Col. W. T. Hughes staged another fox hunt this morning which was attended by a number of invited guests. And old fox was trailed and caught within 50 minutes, the chase being one of the best Colonel Hughes has had recenty. Twenty-four dogs took part in the hunt which started at Tinsley's dairy and which headed towards Fall Creek. Within the past two weeks the hounds have been out nine times and have caught 11 foxes. Among those out bright and early this morning were D. A. Overbey, J. E. Perkinson, L. C. Battin, Judge E. J. Harvey, Byron Homer Custer, C. W. Tinsley, Vince Smith, George Harper, Posie J. Hundley, J. C. Blair and a number of farmers from the surrounding section.

WHEAT GROWERS LAY THEIR CASE BEFORE COOLIDGE

(By The Associated Press.)

WASHINGTON, Sept. 27. The wheat growing interests of the central northwest, suffering from low prices for grain, laid their case directly before President Coolidge and other administration officials today with a request that Congress be called in special session to enact legislation to revive the United States Grain Corporation.

RANDOLPH-MACON IS HARD AT WORK

The football squad of Randolph-Macon is undergoing strenous workouts in preparation for the initial contest with the University of Maryland at College Park on Saturday. A new spirit has become manifest and a feeling of confidence pervades that this year Randolph-Macon is to emerge from the athletic slump which she has undergone for the past few years. The advent of the new Coach, Gus Welsh from Washington State, where he has enjoyed unusual success with all of the teams that he has directed, has fostered this spirit of confidence that Randolph-Macon is on the threshold of one of the most successful years she has ever experienced.

The morale of the squad is splendid. They practice with a vim and determination that bodies ill for their opponents on the gridiron. There is noticed already a snap and precision in the Varsity drill that is remarkable this early in the season. Every man's attention is focused with grim determination upon the task which he faces.

On Saturday the team will journey to College Park to meet the University of Maryland. Facing one of the most difficult schedules of any team in the state its suppoorters confidently expect Randolph-Macon to make one of the best showings among the smaller colleges of Virginia and North Carolina. At the present time four teams are seen in action every day. Most of the attention, however, is centered around the heavy and fast aggregation labelled "Varsity."

In its present form the team will average more than 180 pounds from tackle to tackle. Hales, Trilinger, Blackwell, Kent and Captain Smoot from this big and strong set of forwards. Bell and Eason on ends, both of 170 pound weight, will hold down the wings. Bell is a wizard at snagging the pigskin from the air and a deadly tackler. Captain Smoot will occupy his old position at right tackle and the others will be played by Kent, who has had the benefit of a year's seasoning.

The mainstay of the backfield will be Crouse, Marks and Rash, all of whom are veterans and experienced. Crouse is a "Triple Threat"—he can run, pass or kick with equal facility. The return of McLemore who was a letter man two years ago will give added strength to the backfield. Stuart is also showing up well. Martin a 220 lineman from Norfolk and Cardwell are among the new material that is creating favorable comment. Roane and Urmey are also fighting for a place on the Varsity.

A big, strong and fast team will face Maryland and is expected to give a good account of itself. The probable line up: Ends—Bell and Eason, tackle—Smoot and Kent; guards—Trolinger and Blackwell; center—Hales or Cardwell; backs—Crouse, Marks Rash, Roane, Stuart, Mc Lemore, Taylor, Anderson and Urmey.

IT MAY BE A BLOUSE, BUT FRENCH SAY IT'S A COLLAR

BY MARIAN HALE
(Special to The Bee)

PARIS, Sept. 28.—What has become of the old-fashioned collar that tended to its business and really complied with Webster's definition—an article worn or placed about the neck?

Well, it is seen occasionally, but on the whole, collars have passed on beyond that simple, primitive state.

Here for instance is an example of unrestrained ambition and an unrepressed desire to attract attention.

This collar not only is placed about the neck and shoulders but about the neck, shoulders, back, waistline and hips as well, and it uses as much material as would be required for a blouse.

And yet, isn't it charming and original?

It is a good example of what you may expect this winter.

For some time, we have neglected the neckline. We slashed our frock across our collarbones until it resembled a boat in shape, then finished it with a bias band, and considered we'd done our duty.

This season designers are again remembering the possibilities of fancy collars and the transformations they are able to make. And there is a decided tendency to fasten the collar in the back instead of the front. Oh, just for variety, I suppose.

There is also a decided revival of the lingerie collar, made of net or organdie. It may fasten on the side if you prefer. And fichus, frills and all the other charming accessories for the throat are to be revived and made more lovely than ever before.

The very high collar is being worn by the smartest women of Paris and is one of the real sensations of the sartorial year.

The Tangle

An Intimate Story of Indiscretions Revealed in Private Letters

LETTER FROM LESLIE PRESCOTT TO LESLIE PRESCOTT, CARE OF THE SECRET DRAWER (CONTINUED)

After Ruth left me, I rather began to wonder why she had told me so freely her life's tragedy. You and I, little Marquise, know that women seldom confess to other women that their husbands are what men call dishonorable. There is another definition for them when men mistreat women.

Ruth made it very plain by her illustrations with the Seventh and Eighth Commandments. A man treats the breaking of the Seventh Commandment as a joke. To the woman it always spells tragedy.

A woman hates to confess that her husband is something disreputable in the eyes of other men. Because I was a woman I knew how hard it would be for Ruth to say this about her husband and I knew that she had some peculiar motive in doing so.

All at once what Jack had told me after returning from the visit to New York with Harry Ellington came to my mind. "I am sitting on the rim of the world," he had said and how he had alternately been in the highest and lowest of spirits ever since.

"Jack is dabbling in stocks," I said to myself, "and that is why he wanted the baby's five hundred dollars. He is doing this through Harry Ellington and Ruth poor girl, has swallowed her pride to tell me. She cares enough for me to warn Jack through me."

I could hardly wait until Jack came home to ask him about it and when I did, he answered gruffly, "Who's been telling you anything?"

"But you know, dear, if Mr Bullock finds out that you have been buying stocks on a margin, I am almost sure he will discharge you."

"No, he won't, Leslie, while I am turning in as much business as I am now."

"It doesn't seem to be doing us any good, Jack. I wonder if you know that it is more than a month and a half since you have given me one cent of money."

"If you will wait a week or two you will have all the money you want. Besides, I knew you had money."

"But Jack, I spent the last of that thousand dollars over a week ago and today both the grocery bill and the rent are due."

"I really can't understand where that thousand dollars went to, Leslie."

"A great deal of it paid my hospital bills."

"Well, the grocer ad the landlord will have to wait. I will ot have a cent until I am paid next Thursday."

I didn't say anything. My heart was too full. I kne wwhat Ruth had intimated was true. That is where Jack's commissions have gone. What could I do? Is it always woman's destiny only to watch and wait?

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TOMORROW: Extract from the Albany Sun The crash!

CLARK QUITS RACE.

(By The Associated Press.)

OCALA, Fla., Sept. 28.—Frank Clark, representative in Congress from the second Florida district today made known his withdrawal from the gubernatorial race and at the same time his intention to seek reelection to congress where has has served for the past eighteen years.

THE BEST MEDICINE FOR WOMEN

When Mr. Myers, of Winston-Salem, North Carolina, stepped into the drug store and asked his druggist for the best medicine he had in his store for woman's ills, is it any wonder he was handed a bottle of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound? Mrs. L. K. Myers in writing of it says: "I had been weak, run down and had a pain in my left side for a long time, so I could not do my work. Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound helped me in a short time so I was able to do all of my housework including washing and ironing, and now I feel fine all the time." As Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound holds the record for benefitting 98 out of every 100 women who take it, it will pay every suffering woman to try it. adv.

Your Health

BY DR. CLIFFORD C. ROBINSON

MASSAGE

Massage may be called a body or skin and nerve tonic. It invigorates the body without the usual doping of any tonal madicines.

In many so-called nervous troubles it does great aid with very little exhausition to the central nervous system. Massage also aids metabolism (the chemical process of repair and waste in the body) and does much toward muscle development. It is particularly an aid to the facial muscles, which receive little or no exercise. These may be stimulated, rounded out and the face contour improved by massage. The abdominal muscles are tightened up, aided and strengthened by massage, while the great muscles of the back and shoulders may be developed and improved by this treatment.

I am not advocating any special form or system of massage as a treatment for anything. The question at issue is the value of massage or skillful rubbing or kneading of the outer ski or muscles towards an improvement, flexibility and soothing condition of the body as a general help on the high road to health.

Of course massage is only a natural, simple process to encourage the circulation. Free or increased circulation means more blood. More blood means better supply to the tissues and cells which in many persons are little used and consequently not fully developed. A blood renewal through massage produces a healthy normal tone which the muscles and nerve system share in the general toning-up process.

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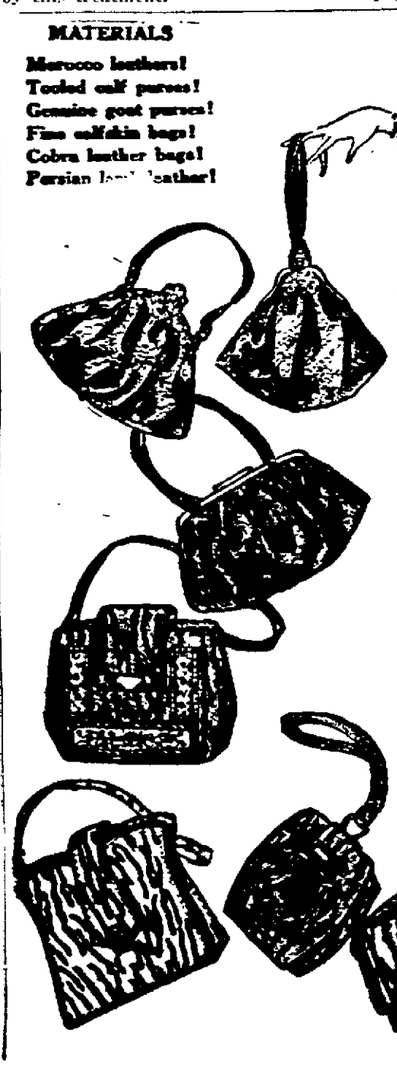

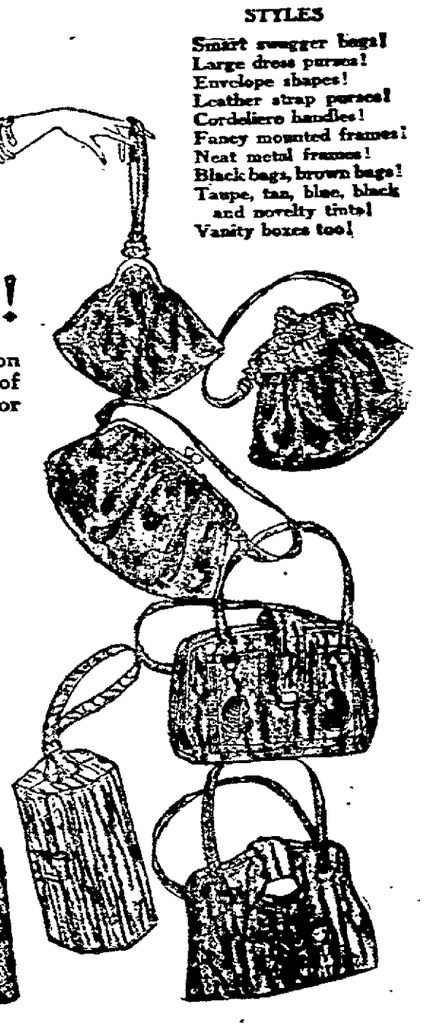
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Coaches Submerge In Raging Torrent As Bridge Collapses

(Continued from page one)

ing the night because of the darkness and flood conditions.

Early this morning no list of those who perished had been obtained. Five cars and the locomotive dropped into the river.

An official message from the scene of the wreck last night told of the difficulties under which the resouers were working and held out little hope for the many passengers known to have been in the coach and smoking cars. The engine crew and the baggage and mail employes are also believed to have lost their lives, the engine and the coaches being completely under water.

Seven doctors from Casper, dressed the injuries of those cut by glass and sustaining bruises, but reported that there was none dangerously injured.

The rescue of eight persons, including women and a baby, was one of the most spectacular features of the wreck. A rope was run from the passenger coach to the Glenrock side of the creek and seven made their way to the shore by working their way over the rope, hand over hand.

An unidentified man remained on the coach until the last, directing the rescue and made the last trip by himself carrying an infant with him.

Dan J. McQuaid, of Denver, who was a passenger in the Denver sleeper, was the first to give news of the disaster and he announced that in his opinion at least 100 lives were lost. Others survivors were of the same opinion and the night Burlington dispatcher, when told of McQuaid's statement, said that the loss "would be at least that."

Several men and women managed to crawl from the coaches which plunged into the creek and clinging to the top of the cars, screamed for help, according to Henry Wyatt, of Casper, who was a passenger in a sleeper which plunged half way into the waters and remained standing on end. "Nothing could be done to save them", Mr. Wyatt declared, "as the river was a raging torrent."

"I had just started for the smoking compartment in the front end of the car when the wreck occurred. The train seemed to slacken its speed suddenly and then the car I was in went toppling over, the front part resting on the bed of river and the rest pointing up in the air

"There was no scrambling or commotion, everybody just set to work opening their windows and getting out. A sleeping car porter passed me a rope with which he dragged me up on the bank and I counted six others beside myself who escaped.

"There were at least seven men in the smoking compartment in the front and I am sure they lost their lives.

"It appeared a cloudburst had occurred recently, as the river receded two feet before I started back for Casper.

"One of the cars in the river, about 25 feet from the bank, appeared to be only half under water. Whether this was the chair car or the smoker I don't know."

According to previous reports the smoking car was crowded with men. The local ticket agent reported he had sold 66 tickets from Casper for this train, which was made up here and was bound for Denver, where it was due at 10:05 o'clock this morning.

An official railroad message from the scene of the wreck last night was as follows:

"Sleeper standing on one end, bank caved off and sleeper fell in stream, now covered with water, one end of chair car above water. Two passengers got out of this car. Coach and smoker, baggage and mail car under water.

"Water running so high and swift unable to work from west bank, number of people on east side doing all they can to assist. Out of a total of 32 Pullman passengers on Number Thirty, 28 have been accounted for.

"Pullman conductor thinks two others got away safely.

"Lost porter in head sleeping car. Train conductor lost unless he got out on east side. Cannot say about engine crew. Undoubtedly considerable of passengers in smoker and coaches lost.

"Doing all we can for relief of people in coaches and smoker. Unable to make more definite report until daylight. Details later. Will need wrecker at east side, pile driver outfit complete with material for twenty spans."

This message was received from the Burlington superintendent who went to the scene of the wreck.

Clarence Goodman, of the Crucible Steel Company; R. P. Johnson of the American Steel Company, both of Denver, and Julius Gunther, prominent Republican leader of Douglas, were among those known to have taken passage on the train for Denver.

With nothing of a definite nature upon which to base a conservative estimate, railroad officials said they believed that between 55 and 65 passengers had been killed.

Four lost their lives in the Casper sleeper while the others were drowned in the day coach, smoker and baggage and express cars. The express car was completely wrecked. Engineer Spangler, Fireman Mallon and Conductor Frank Guff, of Casper, are reported to have lost their lives.

The train went through a weakened bridge over which, just two hours previously a heavily loaded freight train had passed.

The engine and tender had gone over the bridge when the collapse came and the locomotive was pulled back into a raging torrent.

The express and baggage cars together with the day coach, were carried into the flood with the forward portion of the Casper sleeper, nosing into the stream and drowning four in the smoking compartment. The Montana sleeper remained on the track and no one in it was injured. All cars except two sleepers were submerged in the flood waters.

Estimates of the number of persons who lost their lives differed at seven o'clock this morning. The lowest figures placed the dead at 40. A railroad telegraph operator at Glen Rock, near the scene of the wreck and who assisted in the rescue work, said he thought the death list might mount to 100.

All rescue work had to be temporarily abandoned at 2 o'clock this morning. It began showing about that hour, after 24 hours of continuous rainfall. No bodies had been recovered at daylight.

A track walker had inspected the culvert over Cole Creek less than an hour before the passenger train was due. He reported everything all right, altho the stream was rising.

About 9:10 p. m. the Denver train swept around a curve near the spun. Apparently the locomotive got clear across the culvert before it gave way under the weight of the heavy train. Then the engine slipped back into the water and both engineer and fireman were killed.

Probably only four sleeping car passengers lost their lives by drowning. From 20 to 24 passengers were rescued from the top of the sleeper, which was partially submerged

Neither the Cheyenne nor Casper sleepers went into the stream.

A rescue train from Casper arrived at the wreck of 11 p. m. and immediately it was decided that the best chance of rescue was by means of a rope arrangement strung from the east bank.

A big cable rope obtained at the Big Muddy Oil Field was thrown over to the marooned passengers atop the sleeper. With the headlight of the locomotive of the relief train playing on the scene the slow process of rescue in this manner proceeded.

Men, women and children went hand over hand from the sleeper to the east bank, a distance of more than 150 feet. Several times women lost one hand-hold of the rope, only to regain their balance and save themselves from dropping into the sweeping waters.

After their perilous trip across the water several women fainted and had to be carried to waiting cars. A man carried a baby from the marooned car to the bank.

Of the injured brought to Casper few are seriously hurt. No bodies have been recovered from the wreck because of the constantly rising water. It was still raining early this morning. One sleeper was left on the track where it had been derailed at the brink of the stream.

Occupants were sleeping in the car.

Aside from the two dim railroad arc lights, there was not a light visible at the scene of the wreck and it was difficult to distinguished the location of the cars in the stream.

Undertakers left Casper this morning to search the wreckage for bodies. The sheriff and deputies left on the same special train to assist in removing bodies from the wreckage.

Glen Rock police have been notified and will cooperate in preventing any looting. Cities down the Platte River have been notified to be on the lookout for floating bodies.

Mass-Meeting At Chatham Sunday

The citizens of Chatham and Pittsylvania county will hold a mass meeting in the courthouse at Chatham, Sunday afternoon at three o'clock.

This meeting is to be held in the interest of the Anti-Saloon and Law Enforcement leagues. All ministers and women who can possibly come, are expected t obe present. Rev. Hunter B. Hardaway, pastor of the Baptist church at Chatham will speak on the activities of the Anti-Saloon League and its relation to moral reform.

Rev. S. D. Williams of Whitmell, pastor of the Pittsylvania circuit of the Methodist church, will speak on law enforcement. If time will permit, two other speakers will join in the general discussion.

W. T. Shelton, State prohibition inspector, of Danville, will preside during the meeting.

Death of Wealthy Society Woman Arouses Suspicion

(By The Associated Press.)

RYE, N. Y., Sept. 28.—The death of Mrs. Charles Webb, of New York and Philadelphia, society woman, which, it was learned last night, has aroused the suspicions of several Westchester county officials, will be thoroughly invesigated in an effort to discover its cause, the authorities said.

Mrs. Webb, who was said to have been wealthy in her own right, died last Tuesday in the fashionable Westchester-Biltmore Country Club after an illness of three weeks. Her physician declined to issue a death certificate on the ground that death was due to uncertain circumstances.

Several relatives, incuding Mr. and Mrs. William Hunter, of Devon, Pa., who were with Mrs. Webb at the time of her death and cognizant of the alleged mysterious circumstances surrounding it demanded that an autopsy be performed Medical experts were summoned and instructed to determine if any lethal poisons were in the body. The result probably will not be known until tomorrow.

The greatest secrecy prevailed at the club and among the dead woman's relatives and friends. Mr. Webb, who was with his wife through her illness could not be found at his home, his office or his club.

Mr. and Mrs. Webb were married November 4, last Since that time they have lived largely in hotels, country clubs and resorts.

Mrs. Webb's private fortune is estimated at between $2,000,000 and $3,000,000. It was said changes in her will had been made just prior to her death.

Though physicians working on the case would not make any statement regarding the circumstances of her death, it was said that suspicion had first been aroused by bruises on the abdomen.

Mrs. Webb was the daughter of S. Jennings Gorman and the late Mrs. Gertrude A. Gorman. She was of the fourth generation that has occupied the family home in fashionable Madison avenue Her grandfather, Edmund A. S. Smith was a finascier and left large real estate holdings that still are in possession of the family. Mr. Webb's father, the late Charles Henry Webb was as "John Paul" author and journalist. For three years he was literary editor of the New York Times ano was on the Tribune under Horace Greeley. He was founded the Californian, the first literary journal of that state. His wife was a lineal descendant of Levi Holden, a lieutenant of George Washington's bodyguard.

Coroner Edward F Fitzgerald, was frank in saying he did not believe there was anything suspicion about the death of Mrs. Webb and that if she had not been a woman of wealth no attention would have been paid to the circumstances of her death

"I don't think there's anything to it," he said. We have lots of cases like that. I do not know what the analysis will show of course, but I don't think it will reveal poison.

"I don't say that it won't, but I feel that there is nothing to these suspicions. However, if poison is found, I will take the matter up with the district attorney. I expect a report on the toxicologists' examination in a week or ten days. It would be impossible to make a thorough analysis in a few days."

Good Morning Judge!

Judging from the number of speeding cases on the police blotter this morning, a war has been waged by traffic officers against those who are inclined to exceed the limit. Seven such cases were disposed of as follows: John Wood, colored, fined $21 and costs; Mrs. K. C. Arey, fined $21 and costs; S. C. Cunningham, fined $21 and costs; Clay Gardner fined $21 and costs, and Dr. J. Luck, colored, fined $21 and costs Charles Orchard drew a fine of $10 and costs for violating the city traffic ordinance by parking too close to a fire plug.

The only other case was a charge of creating a disturbance against Abner Austin, colored, the warrant being sworn out by James Spencer. After a long tale involving domestic difficulties, threats, skirmishes and so on, Austin was placed under a recognized bond of $250 for his good behavior towards Spencer for twelve months. Spencer was characterized by Austin as "a bad man."

CORK LEG AS BRAKE SAVES LOAD OF COAL

WASHINGTON, Sept. 28.—A new use for artificial legs has been reported to the Veterans' Bureau which implies at least one advantage over the natural variety.

A claim has just been received from an Indian veteran for replacement of a cork leg destroyed recently in an emergency. The claimant says that while he was hauling coal up a hill it became necessary to brake the wheel. Lacking a brake, he took off his leg and stuck it in the wheel The wagon was stopped, but the leg was destroyed.

OIL MAN DIES

(By The Associated Press.)

LOS ANGELES, Sept. 28.—Lyman Stewart, Southern California oil man, died of acute bronchitis and complications at 12:40 o'clock this morning.

How's This?

Oh, boy! Here's one of the fair sex that doesn't mind "necking" in the least. "Bring 'em on," she says. And she'll even stand for an occasional kiss without protest as Bob Whiting demonstrates here. But—

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Accuser

Photo of Mrs Nathaniel Franklin Emmons, society woman of the Back Bay section of Boston, who accuses a war veteran of attempted blackmail. She was prominent in war relief work.

BROKERAGE HOUSE FAILS

(By The Associated Press.)

NEW YORK, Sept. 28.—Failure of the New York stock exchange house of Robert P. Marshall and Company was announced from the rostrum of the exchange this morning.

The firm as at present constituted was organized on July 18, 1919. It is composed of Wm. R. Simonds, who is the board member, Robert P. Marshall, Clinton Fraham and Francis B. Mallaby.

The main office of the firm is at 71 Broadway. It has two branches in this city but no out of town connections.

An involuntary petition in bankruptcy was filed later, estimating liabilities at $2,000,000 and assets $2,340,000 James R. Sheffield was appointed receiver under bond of $25,000.

DISTRICT MANAGER OF NEWARK STORES HERE

J. A. Tehas, district manager of the Newark Shoe Stores Company, is here for several days supervising some changes in the local store at 408 Main street. The Newark stores will within the next week announce the arrival of an entirely new lne of shoes for men wihich will go on sale at all the Newark stores over the country, new fall styles at $3.50 and $5.00, which are sure to meet with popular approval

Candidates For Military Academy Are Now Sought

By GEORGE H. MANNING

WASHINGTON, D. C., Sept. 28 — Senator Carter Glass and Representatives Bland, Deal, Drewry, Moore, and Peery have been requested by the adjutant general of the army to appoint candidates for the vacancies which will occur at the U. S. Military Academy from their districts next year.

Representative Drewry, of the fourth district, wil lhave two vacancies, and the others named one each, making a total of seven young Virginians to be named to enter West Point next July. Entrance examinations will be held in March, and all senators and representatives having vacancies have been asked to make their appointments as far in advance of the examinations as possible.

An unusually large number of vacancies wil loccur at the Military Academy when the present first class graduates next year, the adjutant general states. He suggests that "all qualified young men wishing to take advantage of this favorable opportunity should communicate at once with their senators and congressmen in order to assure themselves of receiving consideration for appointment and having sufficient time in which to prepare themselves thoroughly for the examination." Attention is called to the fac tthat each person appointed to the Military Academy shall be an actual resident of the state, district, or territory from which he purports to be appointed.

Veteran Claims To Be Victim Of Carelessness

WASHINGTON, Sept. 28.—Two agencies of the Government yesterday opened an investigation of charges of malpractice lodged against United States Veterans' Bureau surgeons who, it is alleged, were guilty of "gross carelessness" in performing twenty-three operations on Roy C. Eaton, of Wilkensburg, Pa.

Eaton, a former corporal in Company G, Thirty-eighth infantry of the Third division, suffered injuries to his arms in the world war.

Discharged, he applied to the Veterans' Bureau for relief. He was sent to a hospital and underwent the operations.

The arm did not heal. Eaton went to a private surgean who advised another operation. Here is what the surgeon found in the man's arm:

Two dead flies.
Some wrapping bandage.
A piece of cotton.
Some shrapnel.

The twenty-fourth operation cost the disabled veteran $2,300, no part of which he could collect from the Veterans' Bureau.

The case was reported to the Veterans' Bureau officials and to the Senate committee probing the bureau by American Red Cross representatives from Oil City, Pa. Both groups are investigating.

Patrick's Power Station Is Working

(Special to The Bee.)

STUART, Va., Sept. 28.—The Rangely Power Company's hydraulic plant built on Mayo River has been placed in operation and has developed slightly more power th had been expected. When the water was turned into the wheel the machinery responded well and the mechanism is working perfectly. About 350-horse power has been developed by the water wheel.

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Dentists say that a great majority of people either have pyorrhoea (Riggs Disease) or pyorrhoeal tendencies. The beginning is sore, receding or bleeding gums, sensitive or loose teeth, pus pockets and bad odors. Pyorrhoea not only affects the gums and teeth, but also your general health, as the pus, which is very poisonous, is absorbed into the system causing serious stomach troubles, the results of which are sometimes fatal.

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WARD'S FATE WITH JURY

(By The Associated Press.)

WHITE PLAINS, N. Y., Sept. 28.—The jury in the case of Walter S. Ward, charged with the murder of Clarence Peters retired to consider its verdict shortly after 12:30 today.

Before the jury retired, the opposing attorneys engaged in a spectacular verbal tilt with Justice Wagner to whose charge to the jury they took exception.

Allan R. Campbell, of the defense staff, took exception to the entire charging of the court, characterizing it as entirely unfair to the defendant.

When Justice Wagner finished his charge he had met about half a dozen of the 63 specific requests for special charges that the defense had made and about three of the ten requests of the prosecution. As soon as he finished Mr. Campbell arose and asserted the court had favored the prosecution throughout both in reading the law and in his summary of the evdience.

Mr. Campbell asserted that the court in citing the law and the evidence had brought out points favorable to the prosecution and had not drawn out parallel points that would have been equally favorable to the defense.

Justice Wagner replied that if he had favored the State he had not done so purposely.

In his charge Justice Wagner emphasized that there were no signs of a struggle where Clarence Peters body was found, that only one empty shell was discovered that testify mutely to the gun battle that Ward described and that Ward had refused to seek warrants for the arrest of Peters' alleged accomplices until after h had consulted his attorneys

Justice Wagner also directed the jury's attention to the inability of Police Chief Frank Cody to identify the two pistols surrendered by Ward as having been used in the battle as the 2 pistols he presented to Ward sometime before the tragedy.

The court set forth the State's points: that the crime was premediated; that Ward's character was less exemplary than that of Peters, that his confession of implication was false: that his actions point their guilt. He said that the defense relief on the mere statement that the shooting was in self-defense and that Ward had always ben reputed to be a peaceful and law abiding citizen.

"If there is proof that Ward had not other means to save his life than to shoot Peters, he was justified under the law,' asseerted the court.

"You must believe that Ward had no fear of a reasonable man, but he had no right to kill Peters unless it was to save his own life If you believe it was established that the defendant had no fear of being injured there is no reason why he should not be punished

"You must consider that Ward had a good character and that criminals are not made overnight Don't let that lead you to an acquittal".

Driver of Auto Which Hit Negress Faces 3 Charges

The condition of Ada Leftwich, colored, who was struck yesterday afternoon by an automobile driven by John A. Thomas, was reported from Providence Hospital where she is a patient not to be serious She is said to be suffering only from a cut on the back of the head and an abrasion on the arm

As result of the accident which occurred near the Dry Bridge on South Main street. Thomas was placed under arrest and later bonded under the sum of $2,000 to appear in court on next Wednesday to answer charges of assaulting the woman, driving the machine while in an intoxicated condition and for violating the Mapp act by having a half point bottle of whisky in his possession The arrest was made by Police Officer O. W. Bates, who placed Thomas in jail until he later managed to give bond. The accident occurred yesterday afternoon about six o'clock.

NO BASIS OF CONCLUSION

(By The Associated Press)

PARIS Sept. 27.— All orders and regulations issued by the Allied authorities in the Ruhr will be maintained, it was said in official circles tonght, until the situation in Germany clears and it becomes known to just what extent the passive resistance has ceased in consequence of President Ebert's proclamation. Today's dispatches from Berlin gave no basis for any conclusion as to what turn they make take, and the Allies can only continue to wait and watch.

GOOD RESULTS IN BILIOUSNESS

Black-Draught Recommended by a Texas Lady, Who Describes Her Daughter's Interesting Case.

Paris, Tex.—"[illegible] Black-Draught for [illegible] Mrs. M. B. [illegible] of the [illegible] related the following [illegible] how Black-Draught [illegible] in the case of her [illegible]

"Our oldest daughter would get very bilious was [illegible] of a nervous temperament [illegible] The medicines we [illegible] strong and would [illegible] weakened condition, and [illegible] so weak.

"We began to look for [illegible] that would correct [illegible] leave her so weak [illegible] ested Black-Draught [illegible] and the result was so good we [illegible] use anything else with her.

"We make a [illegible] from [illegible] Draught and it certainly [illegible] faction I myself use [illegible] for headache [illegible] colds, and recommend it [illegible] Am sure it has benefited [illegible]

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Military Rule In Oklahoma Tightens

Martial Law Being Spread, Says Governor in Denying Rumors That Modification Is in Prospect—Military Descends on Another County.

(By The Associated Press.)

OKLAHOMA CITY, Sept 28.—The ironhand of military descended today on another county in Oklahoma as warning was given by Governor J. C. Walton, that more stringent martial rule is in store for other sections if "invisible government" in the state can be put down in no other way Upon the appeal of more than a score of residents of Sulphur, the governor last night ordered the military law in Array county which the civil authorities, some of whom are said to be controlled by the Ku Klux Klan are charged with having neglected to prosecute persons responsible for numerous mob outrages.

Violence and bloodshed may result from the "deplorable conditions" existing in the county, the petitioners declared in asking for the establishment of martial law The persons and property of those not members of the Ku Klux Klan they asserted, are unsafe under the "reign of klan officers."

Early today at the executive mansion, Governor Walton declared there will be no end to military rule in the state until mob violence and masked depredations cease.

"Martial law is being tightened instead of loosened," he said, in denying rumors that a modification of military regulations is in prospect

Despite his statement, however, the belief persisted in well informed quarters that a decrease in the scope of martial law can be expected within the next few days

This opinion was strengthened by a perceptible lessening of the public tension which has prevailed since legislative opposition against the official acts of Governor Walton first cropped out.

A legal fight to determine whether they are empowered to hold a special session without a call from the governor was started late yesterday by the 67 members of the lower House whose attempt to launch an impeachment investigation was blocked by state troops acting under orders from Governor Walton

They applied in district court here for an injunction to restrain national guardsmen from interfering with meetings of the House

The case probably will be threshed out in the United States Supreme court before it is finally settled both sides agreed. Hearing on the petition for injunction was set for next Tuesday morning.

Interest in the situation shifted to Tecumseh today where Homer McKown, grand cyclops of the Ku Klux Klan at Maude, Okla will be tried in Superior court on a charge of contempt of court

The grand cyclops and W W. Price, both of whom are prominent Maude business men, were arrested late yesterday after refusing to testify before a military court of inquiry in connection with the flogging of a school teacher at Maude in 1921. They had been implicated in the whipping by witnesses previously interrogated. They were denied bail and spent the night in the county jail at Tecumseh.

SHERIFF DENIES CHARGES

(By The Associated Press.)

SULPHUR, Okla., Sept. 28.—Sheriff C. H. Parks denies the charges of some of his fellow townsmen which led to the order yesterday of Governor Walton dispatching military forces to Murray county. The whole matter is a frame-up the sheriff declared. "There has been a gang stirring up things here for the last thirty days. My deputies and I have done everything humanely possible to run down floggers and other law violators.

"Only recently an investigation launched by the county attorney and myself lasted a week, during which more than 100 witnesses were examined."

Threatening letters referred to by those who appealed to Governor Walton were characterized by Sheriff Parks as "bootleggers 'threats written to themselves'."

Seek Rehearing On Bond Issue Before Court of Appeals

(Continued from page one)

ing on the subject and found that there is nothing in the Code of Virginia which would prevent the holding of another bond issue election at any date the Judge might see fit to call one.

Section 3088 bears on this point It reads:

"If it shall appear from said returns that a majority of the qualified voters at such election shall be against such proposed bond issue an order shall be entered of record accordingly and no other election for a similar purpose shall be held within a year after such election."

The city attorney emphasized the opening lines of the clause pointing out that in the bond election held here last June a "majority of the qualified voters voting at such election" did approve the bond issue and that therefore the clause would not apply.

It is thought improbable however, that any immediate effort will be made to bring about another test vote on this issue There is a likelihood that the city charter commission will be permitted to finish its present work which probably would embrace a rewroding of the charter provision the ambiguity of which is responsible for the present litigation, and that after the General Assembly which meets in January has passed on the amended charter that the matter will be placed before the people again.

Advocates of the bond issue express the belief that the public mind has been more aroused since the litigation was begun than it was before the election also that in June a number of people who would have supported both bond issues were absent from the city.

Mrs. A. D. Keen, chairman of the schoolboard referred this morning to the Supreme Court's decision as a "calamity" and her view was largely shared by those who knew the need of a progressive programme in providing adequate means of educating the city's children. She stated also that she would not be in favor of reducing the amount of the bond issue.

—John L. Watson, of Clayton, Alabama, is spending the week-end with his sister, Mrs. O. B. Newton.

Oh, Shucks!

(Continued from page 5.)

In this pictre you see that the thriller on Page 1 isn't really so thrilling. For Bob Whiting is connected with the National Hairdressers' Convention in New York and the unobjecting lady is only a hairdressers' dummy.

Staging of Monitor-Merrimac Battle

(By The Associated Press.)

NEWPORT NEWS, Va., Sept. 28 — The famous battle between the ironclads, Monitor, of the United States navy, and the Merrimac, of the Confederate navy, took place in Anchorage Channel, between the present entrance in the Newport News channel and the Old Point light, about one fourth of a mile north-northeast from the present entrance into Newport News.

This historical fact was established yesterday when army and navy officers, civilians and Captain Richard Curtis, one of the three survivors of the crew of the Merrimac made a trip over the scene of that famous fight in Hampton Roads for the purpose of locating exactly the spot of the big civil war naval engagement.

Captain Curtis, who is now 84 years old, and a resident of Portsmouth, was a member of the first gun crew on the forward deck of the Merrimac during the battle and his version of the fight is exceedingly interesting.

Captain Curtis, with the assistance of Captain George Alvin Massenberg, member of the Virginia Pilots Association, assisted the army officials in laying out a map of the spot where the engagement occurred and this ma pwill be used by the army authorities in preserving the exact spot of the engagement for future historical studies and possibly for having the United States government place some sort of a marker on the water or near the spot on land where the two ironclads met and fought.

Captain Curtis' narration of the incidents leading up to the fight as well as the actual engagement, kept the members of the party on the John M. Schofield on the qui vive, as they eagerly awaited the present story of the battle that revolutionized naval warfare and probably brought about the first armored ship of this country as a part fo the navy.

Aside from locating the exact spot of the engagement, Captain Curtis told those on the ship the story of the battle and with emphasis declared that the Merrimac was not sunk by the Monitor and that the Monitor was no match for the southern vessel.

Starting from the minute the Merrimac left Norfolk on Saturday, May 8, 1862, until the Monitor left after the battle on Sunday, May 9, Captain Curtis carried his listeners through the engagement and told many incidents that were never before told for the benefit of the public and the safeguard of historically correct information about this engagement.

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TROOPS DEMOBILIZED

(By The Associated Press.)

ENID, Okla., Sept. 28.—Battery A local edtachment of the Oklahoma National Guard, arrived in Enid at six o'clock this morning from Oklahoma City where the unit has been on duty since the entire state was placed under martial law by Governor Walton. The battery has been demobilized and officers and men who live outside of Enid have started for their homes.

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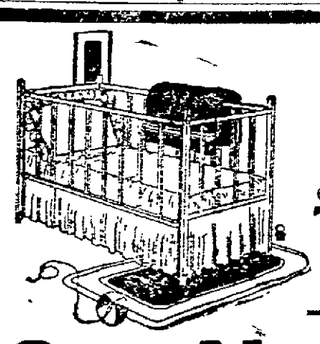

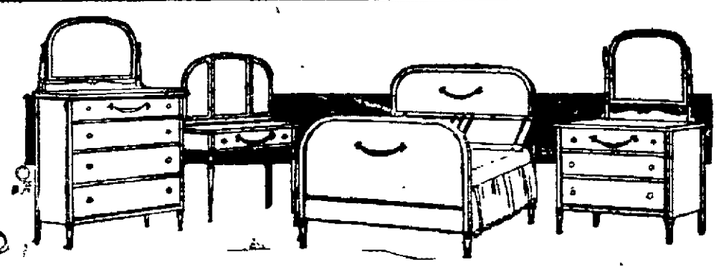

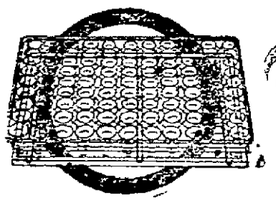

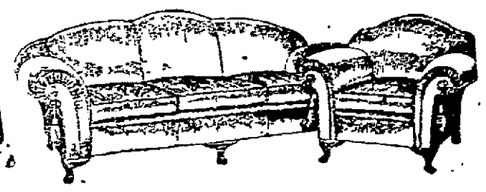

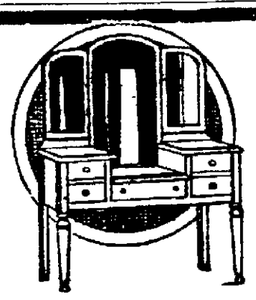

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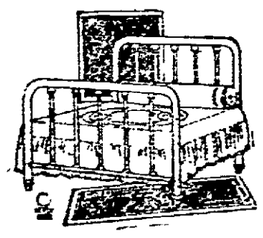

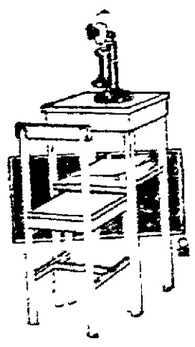

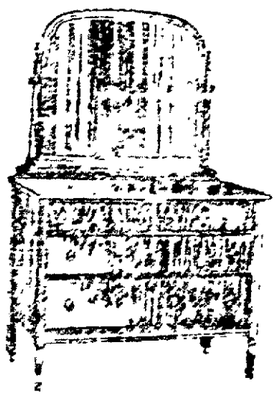

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BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

Walter S. Ward, accused of murder of Clarence Peters, may know his fate before the end of today, which is his thirty-second birthday.

Westchester, N Y, authorities are investigating what they declare are suspicious circumstances in connection with death of Mrs. Charles Webb at Westchester, Biltmore Country Club

German situation is uncertain and complicated as result of state of emergency proclaimed by the Stresemann and Bavarian governments.

Italian fleet which left Corfu after delivering island to Greeks, reappears in harbor and city is in suspense seeking explanation of return of warships

Council of the League of Nations agrees to submit to The Hague court questions covering its general competency in international disputes.

Bulgarian government procaims collapse of communists movement and promises complete restoration of order.

Kansas City druggist tells Boston convention that putting whiskey and alcohol into the hands of retail druggist was the "great cause wished on them."

Robert Quinn, president of the Boston Red Sox announced that Frank Chance wil lnot manage that baseball club in 1924.

MODERN SCIENCE HELPS BRITISH CATCH CROOKS

LONDON, Sept 27.—Scotland Yard, England's famous organization for the detection of criminals, is equipping its patrol motor cars with wireless telephone apparatus with the idea of providing new aids in the capture of wrong-doers.

In many cases swift locomotion is the essence of success in this matter, and if rapidity of movement can be combined with the maintenance of communication with headquarters, the chances of the wrong-doer's escape may be considerably diminished The experimental car can receive messages while creeping through the congested traffic of the city of London, or while dashing along the Great North Road. It can reply to the messages received, and thus keep Scotland Yard well informed of the progress of whatever business may be in hand

It is hoped that when the system has advanced a little farther, the constabulary forces of the counties will participate in it Then it may be possible to set up an effective hue and cry throughout the country if a dangerous criminal is at large, and keep all searching cars in constant touch with Scotland Yard and the headquarters of the police forces of adjacent counties.

SHRIMP TRADE THRIVES

(By The Associated Press)

WILMINGTON, N. C, Sept 27—The shrimp industry at Southport is thriving unusually well, according to advices received here A fleet of about 40 boats put out from Southport daily and never fail to return with less than 25 bushels of shrimp each, it was learned here

Drum and blue fish are plentiful along this section of the coast at present, fisherman say.

KLAN'S FIERY CROSS IS BLAZING IN OKLAHOMA

MUSKOGEE, Okla, Sept. 28.—The fiery cross of the Ku Klux Klan is blazing tonight over the local Klavern, where a meeting is said to be in progress High klan officials from Atlanta are reported in the city The klan was recently barred in Oklahoma by Governor J C Walton under a martial law decree

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Men are fascinated by the charms of beauty. Women gaze with envy, secretly jealous, perhaps—wondering—hoping—praying for that attractiveness that is not theirs.

But why the wondering—the hoping—the praying for that craved for attractiveness—that beauty. Good looks is the barometer of one's condition. Good health radiates beauty. S. S. S. purifies the blood—creates new red blood cells—rids the system of impurities which make beauty and attractiveness impossible. As women to attract must radiate health so must they keep their systems free from impurities and their red blood cells ever increasing. S. S. S. does both.

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New York Again Getting Papers As It Did Before

NEW YORK, Sept 27—A compete collapse of the pressmens' strike enabled the New York morning and afternoon papers today to resume their own identities.

The restrictions voluntarily assumed by the various newspapers to use a composite title head during the continuance of the strike formally were removed today.

This action brought back to New Yorkers their familiar editorial pages and it is safe to say that never were editorials read with greater avidity than today. Readers searched in vain all papers except one, however, for any editorial expression on the strike or reference to the experiences of the individual papers under their temporary resignation of identity It was evident that some agreement had been reached, editorially, to treat the strike as non existent and for the papers to get back to normalcy as rapidly as possible There was further adherence today to the sixteen page limit of editions, but the papers gradually will grow during the remainder of the week.

Publishers insisted today that the idea of a composite title head for all the newspapers during the strike was a wise move They said that the papers, under their individual names again quicky would climb back to their accustomed places in the metropolitan newspaper field and that the strike would leave no permanent marks.

It was said the submergence of identity during the strike was a significant warning not alone to the pressmen but to all the other crafts that in the stress of strike conditions, the publishers of New York City constituted a solidarity willing to go so far as loss of name, loss of editorial prestige and loss of individuality and present a solid front to the "enemy"

An expression at the head of the editorial page of the New York World tells its own story It says

"The pressmen's strike has forced the World, together with other New York newspapers, to omit its editorial page for the past week in order that these papers might in combined solidarity continue to give the public the news The strike situation is now fortunately such that the newspapers today resume their individual identities and with them the expression of their editorial convictions

"The World being so deeply interested a party as regards the strike, feels that it may best be left to public opinion without editorial comment."

Restrictions as to the acceptance of advertising necessarily continues in force while the papers are limited to sixteen pages In their effort to give the public seasonal advertising as well as current news, the papers have had to refuse department store offerings in favor of announcements of flats and houses to rent and hotels affording residential accommodations.

October first is "moving day" in greater New York Hundreds of thousands of flat hunters were at their wits' ends with no advertisements to guide them and have been roaming the streets looking for "to let" signs. Pages of "to let" advertisements were in the papers today

Here again came the realization of the public service character of the modern newspaper

TEETH FIGURE IN MAN'S ACQUITTAL

(By The Associated Press)

HENDERSON, N C., Sept 27. In one of the strangest cases ever tried in Supreior Court here James B Rawls, tonight was acquitted of the charge of deserting his alleged wife, Mrs J B Reid, and her children, the jury returning a verdict of not guilty on charges of desertion and non support. The case depended upon the jury's believing or not that Rawls, whose wife and 2 children were present had been able to grow a full set of teeth during the eight years that the plaintiff alleged she had been without companionship and support of her husband.

On the stand yesterday Mrs Reid testified that Rawls was her husband but she could not account for the fact that the defendant had a full set of teeth. Eight years ago, she testified, when here husband deserted her he had no front teeth, they having been knocked out in an accident 20 years before. Her two children also identified the defendant as their father on the other hand Reid's boys was quite as positive that the defendent was not of their father, and in fact practically based it upon the condition of his teeth Dentists who took the stand testified that Rawl's teeth were not false

SHORTENING DAYS

(By Ella Wheeler Wilcox)

The days grow shorter, the nights grow longer,
The headstones thicken along the way;
And life grows sadder, but love grows stronger,
For those who walk with us day by day.

The tear comes quicker, the laugh comes slower,
The courage is lesser to do and dare;
And the tide of joy in the heart falls lower,
And seldom covers the reefs of care.

And all true things in the world seem true,
And the better things of earth seem best.
And friends are dearer, as friends are fewer,
And love is all as our sun dips west.

Then let us clasp hands as we talk together,
And let us speak softly in love's sweet tone;
For no man knows, on the morrow, whether
We two pass on—or but one, alone.

LEAGUE SUBMITS COMPETENCY TO HAGUE COURT OF JUSTICE

(By The Associated Press.)

GENEVA, Sept. 27. The council of the League of Nations after a two hours debate tonight agreed to submit two questions covering the general aspects of the league's competency in international complications to the permanent court of international justice at The Hague This was brought about by the action of the smaller states who sent a collective note to the council relative to an interpretation of the covenant.

The council also provisionally decided that two other questions shall go before a special commission of eminent jurists, rather than to the Hague court, because they are deemed to be of a political, rather than a legal nature One concerns the right of states to adopt coercive measures, while the other endeavors to secure the fixation of a country's responsibility for crime committed in its territory.

Members of the council tonight tried to induce Signor Salandra, the Italian member, to consent to The Hague court's passing upon whether other matters, such as incidents affecting national honor, are also to be excluded, but Signor Salandra was obdurate; he said he did not want such incidents to go before the permanent court and was not sure that he wanted them to go any where

The French are seeking to act as conciliators, believing that eventuality Italy will agree to a full examination of the covenant

M Lebrun, a former member of the French cabinet who helped Lord Robert Cecil draft the proposed pact of mutual assistance said tonight the world should realize that its chief aim was reduction of armaments, which was only possible in most countries when their security was established He emphasized that Great Britain, France and Italy must ratify the pact before it can be made operative in Europe.

The disarmament commission decided definitely tonight that in view of the divergencies of opinion on its contents, including the clause authorizing supplentary defensive alliances, all the governments should be requested to send in their opinions about the pact to the league Hence any action on the pact has been postponed until the next year.

HOOVER WRITES HARRIS

(By The Associated Press.)

WASHINGTON, Sept. 27.— The recent declaration of Senator Harris, Democrat, Georgia, that he would introduce at the next Congress a bill requiring an annual census and survey of spinnable and unspinnable cotton on hand throughout the world has brought to the Senator a letter from Secretary of Commerce Hoover expressing "the hope that something can be done in the next session to improve the whole situation" with regard to the gathering of statistics on cotton on hand each year.

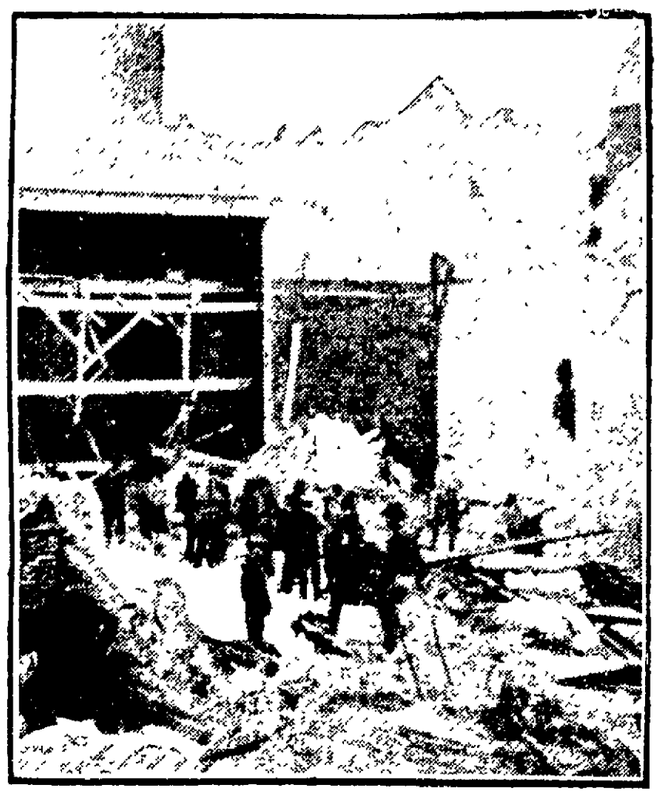
BARRETT HEARING SOON

(By The Associated Press.)

ATLANTA, Ga, Sept 27— Governor Walker, of Georgia, when he returns from South Georgia Saturday is expected to set a date for hearing on an extradition request received today from South Carolina seeking the return to that state of members of the firm of Barrett and Company, of Augusta, Georgia, now in receivership The requisition papers name Frank H Barrett, Julian Barrett and Thomas Barrett, Jr, all of Augusta

The Barretts are charged in South Carolina with having obtained property under false pretenses.

When Theater Building Fell



One man was killed and four injured when a partly completed theater building at Janesville, Wis, collapsed The last man of 35 rescued was found smoking contentedly, waiting for those outside to release him

BANDITS KIDNAP TWO BRITISH WOMEN IN CHINA

(By The Chicago Tribune Service)

SHANGHAI, Sept. 27.—Two British women missionaries, Mary Darroch of Glasgow, Scotland, and Mary R Sharp of Millikent, South Australia, have been carried off into the mountains of Honan province by Chinese bandits, according to news received here this morning by the China Inland Mission. The bandits raided the town of Sihiwa, plundered the plane, including the missionary property, and carried off the foreign women as hostages Miss Darroch has been a missionary in China for twenty-five years She is a sister of Darroch, secretary of the Religious Tract Society Miss Sharp has been a missionary for four years.

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A THOUGHT

The poor man is hated even of his own neighbor: but the rich hath many friends.—Prov. 16:21.

As men advance in life, all passions resolve themselves into money. Love, ambition, even poetry, end in this.—Beaconfield.

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 28, 1923.

THE HOME CASUALTY LIST.

The tragic accident on Paxton street, following which a six-year-old boy was carried to a hospital where he still lingers in critical condition, again brings sharply home to us the increasing dangers in a motor-ridden country. It was just one of the thousands of automobile accidents which are occurring every day helping to swell the casualty lists—fodder for the wealth of statistics which are given us periodically and which despite their fearsome total do not appear to have any effect towards curtailing them.

We mentioned the fact a few days ago that following the killing of a child who was "jay walking"—crossing a street diagonally in Roanoke—a community movement was initiated to create greater care not only on the part of the motorist but on the part of the pedestrian. Not even the concentration of thought on this subject and the extraordinary emphasis laid on the perils of street traffic has been effective for another Roanoke child was killed the day before yesterday when run over by a street car. No wonder one reads in the Roanoke Times that a feeling of despondency well intentioned move.

It is the youth of the community which needs the greatest measure of protection. Adults may be counted on to take reasonable care of themselves. They are alive to these dangers far more than the child who responds to the promptings of the mind and who moves swiftly without counting the cost. Consideration of how best to prevent these accidents inevitably brings up the question of a safe place for recreation for children, the absence of which in this city has been so frequently lamented. Street playing is at best a dangerous practise. No matter how insistently parental precepts may be drilled into the mind of the girl or boy just so long as the sidewalk is the only place in which they can play the danger of repetition of the accident to which we allude will continue. Statistics may fall on deaf ears but they are still worth considering—in fact, anything which may tend to arouse a lethargic interest in the daily traffic toll will be beneficial.

A compilation of statistics made from the records of insurance companies reveal that one person in seven is either killed or injured by an accident every year: one out of every eight deaths is accidental between the ages of 20 and 60; every five minutes throughout the year one person is accidentally killed and for every accidental death there are 120 accidental injuries. More than 15,000 persons are killed each year by automobiles, and more than 40,000 suffer disabling injuries from the same cause and the average individual is twice as liable to die from accident as from old age. These are fearful figures to sit and ponder over. Yet they are not given for the first time—they are continually being given yet death stalks silently among us unrecognized, yet omnipresent in taking his toll from year to year. Perhaps it is the very number of these accidental deaths that one finds is callous or even oblivious of the growing danger.

THE ERA OF YOUTH.

Plenty of Americans still live in log cabins, in the lonesome remote districts. Traveling salesmen tell us that it's becoming quite common to glance out of a Pullman window and see one of those log cabins with a radio antenna.

A log cabin with a radio is about the last word in contrast.

Which member of the family, living in the log cabin, has the radio? One guess is enough. It's the boy who has the radio, not his father.

And this is symbolic of civilization—the older generation solving the problem of obtaining a living, while youth does the bulk of the reaching out toward progress.

Along about middle age, most of us become set in our ways, inclined to stagnate. Curious, impulsive, dynamic youth keeps the wheel of progress turning. The earth belongs to youth.

THE LOSS OF THE MUTSU.

(Baltimore Sun.)

The historic role played by the Japanese battleship Mutsu at the Washington Disarmament Conference is recalled by the news that this great war vessel, as well as two other Japanese superdreadnaughts, were destroyed by the effects of the recent earthquake.

At the time of the conference much urprise and a certain amount of irritation were aroused by the insistence with which the delegates from Nippon maintained that no matter what arrangements in the way of naval disarmament were agreed upon Japan would never "scrap" the Mutsu. Gradually the reason behind this attitude became known, revealing a sentimentality not generally regarded as a factor in Japanese character.

The Mutsu, it was learned, was to Japan much more than one of the most powerful warships in the world. Named after the great Emperor Mutsuhito, who ruled Japan from 1867 to 1912 and was largely responsible for her remarkable rise to equality with Western nations, the Mutsu was regarded as a symbol rather than merely a great warship. In her design and construction, both purely Japanese, was seen evidence of the transformation of Japan from a backward, isolated country into a world power of the very first rank. School children, it is said, contributed their pennies to help defray the cost of building and her christening partook almost of the nature of a rite. That a warship standing for so much in their history should be arbitrarily scrapped was unthinkable to the people of Japan. And so the naval treaty was revised so that Japan might keep her Mutsu.

What man would not surrender nature has now ruthlessly taken. Overnight in the tidal convulsions which followed the earthquake, the Mutsu is said to have been scrapped as completely as shipbreakers could accomplish in months of dismantling. But by her loss the memory of Mutsuhito has lost nothing. There is a deeper symbolism, a much more vital evidence of the esteem which Japan has won in the world, than was embodied in this wrecked warship. It is found in the world-wide sympathy and assistance which have been poured out to Japan in her hour of trial. That is worth more to her than any or all her battleships.

UNUSUAL FOLK IN DAY'S NEWS

Sets Mountain Climb Record

(Special to The Bee)

GLACIER PARK, Mont., Sept. 28.—If you think you can do it—

Climb 37 mountains to their peaks, in as many days—

After which you will have broken the record just established by Norman Clyde, 38, small-town schoolmaster of Weaverville, Calif.

That would be only one mountain more than Clyde climbed, one each consecutive day, during his recent camping hike through Glacier National Park.

On the summits of 11 of the 36 mountains he traversed, Clyde failed to find evidence of anyone else having scaled them. That's another record, say professional mountain climbers here.

Clyde's highest climb was Mt. Wilbur, whose peak rises 9283 feet above the sea level. At its summit he left as his cairn, a monument to the late Dr. Wynn, mountain climber of national fame, who had made many unsuccessful attempts to scale this height. It took him three hours to build it, a pyramid of rocks which will withstand the fiercest elements, he says.

DAILY PUZZLE

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AAA -ING

Can you decipher this brief cryptogram? Its message is not quite correct, but it is not difficult to understand.

Yesterday's answer:

In making the six packages, the man placed stamps on each one as follows:

45c pkg. ..... 3 15c stamps
32c pkg. 2 15c, 1 2c
17c pkg. ..... 15c and 4c
15c pkg. ..... 1 15c stamp
12c pkg. ..... 1 10c and 1 2c
12c pkg. ..... 1 10c and 1 2c

Thus he utilized the six 15c, one 10c, two 10c, one 4c and three 2c stamps.

MUCH BUILDING

NEW ORLEANS, Sept. 27—The amount building started and arranged for last month was the second largest on record. The total for 8 months of this year amounted to $10,500,000 as compared with $7,500,000 for the corresponding period of last year. Permits this month are fully maintaining the August rate.

ON FIRST VOYAGE

NEW YORK, Sept. 27—The Motor Ship Twin Ports, the first vessel of the Minnesota Atlantic transit company's fleet of canal sized cargo carriers which are intended to operate between Duluth and Atlantic ports is loading here for the return trip of her first voyage. She will carry a mixed cargo direct to Duluth and officers expect to dock their nine days after leaving New York. The vessel has six hundred ton cargo space for refrigerated products.

RIVER IN GOOD CONDITION

ST. LOUIS, Sept. 27—When the present work on the permanent channel of the Missouri River is completed the river will be in better condition for steamboat navigation than ever before, according to government engineers. This channel is expected to result in boosting trade between St. Louis and Kansas City.

Scoop's Colyum

DRAKES BRANCH, Sept. 28.—(Grapevine Wireless.)—Fred Harper, mayor of Lynchburg, tells another good story: A New York broker, who is very fond of quail shooting, was a guest during last season at Bob White Lodge, a hunting lodge maintained near Brookneal, in Campbell County, by several ardent sportsmen of Lynchburg. The morning after his arrival he took one of the horses from the stable to ride about the country and through the woods, to "get the lay of the land," as he explained.

After riding some distance through the thick woods, he came upon a small stream and dismounted to get a drink of the clear, sparkling water. The horse, becoming frightened at some sudden movement, ran off. He attempted to follow, but soon became confused and hopelessly lost.

After wandering aimlessly about for an hour, and getting more and more bewildered, he came upon an old negro with rifle in hand, hunting squirrels.

"I say, my man," he called, "can you tell me the way to Bob White Lodge?"

"No, suh, Boss, I can't," was the reply.

"Can you tell me how to get to Brookneal?" was the next inquiry.

"No, suh, Boss, I don't know," the negro said.

"Well, can you direct me to the main road?" was the next effort.

"No, suh, Boss, I can't."

"Say,' said the now exasperated broker, "you dont know anything, do you?"

"No, suh, Boss," said the negro humbly, "I dont know much. But I ain't lost."

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Soon be chopping wood, toting coal, and sifting ashes. Ain't yuh 'shamed o' yourself complaining o' th' heat just 90 days ago!

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The Switchboard Queen says they call the hours from 6 to 8 "Dromedary Time," because the wires are bringing in the "dates." And—some of the conversation that filters thru the lines would put pith and pringle in Elinor Glyn's fairy tales!

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The pipe smokers club will hold an open air meeting tonight at Gitt's Switch, after the Home Grocery closes for the day.

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Keeping Local Trade At Home.

Here are seven main reasons for trading locally:

1. Lower prices in middle and high-priced goods.
2. Equal quality in all reliable stores.
3. Convenience of local stores.
4. Personal interest of the proprietor.
5. Small stocks of exclusive lines.
6. East of establishing credit locally.
7. Civic pride.

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It won't be long now until the gates swing open and the Danville Fair comes along in a blaze of glory. Choose your parking space now.

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Clear the decks for action—here comes Buckwheat Cakes!

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Look Out!

An item of news came over the wire today that excited us all here in the office. It was to the effect that a comet was speeding toward the earth at the rate of eight million or maybe it was eight billion) miles a second, and that we might go smash at any moment. Much disturbed, ye ed called John Wells on the telephone, and read the telegram.

"You say it's on the way now," asked John.

"Yep.'

"And going to hit?"

'Bound to."

'Oh, well, said John, 'the way fishing has been the last month this earth isn't worth much any more. Let her hit."

And John hung up with a bang.

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The Phlebotomist.

Listen to the skeeter's hum.
I wonder when he'll get me.
Several times he's near me come,
And then seem to forget me.
I cannot see him in the dark,
I know he hovers near me.
Again I hear him. Listen! Hark!
Wow! On my ear he's drilling.
Kerplunk! Gee whiz, I got him. Ho!!
That time I made a killing.

The skeeter is a democrat,
Impartial in his feeding.
Alide the sleek aristocrat
Or bum that he is bleeding,
A K. K. K. or a K. C.
He never draws distinction.
He is a pest. Then let us spray
For his speedy extinction.

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Our Great Democracy.

Someone at a Virginia summer resort advertises "two nice rooms, with semi-private bath."

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Beginning good and early a contemporary says: "The world sure do move. The Fourth of July, and Labor Day are past, and now the next important holiday to look forward to is Thanksgiving and after that Christmas."

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"Ford Won't Run," reads a headline. Thats the trouble with some of 'em.

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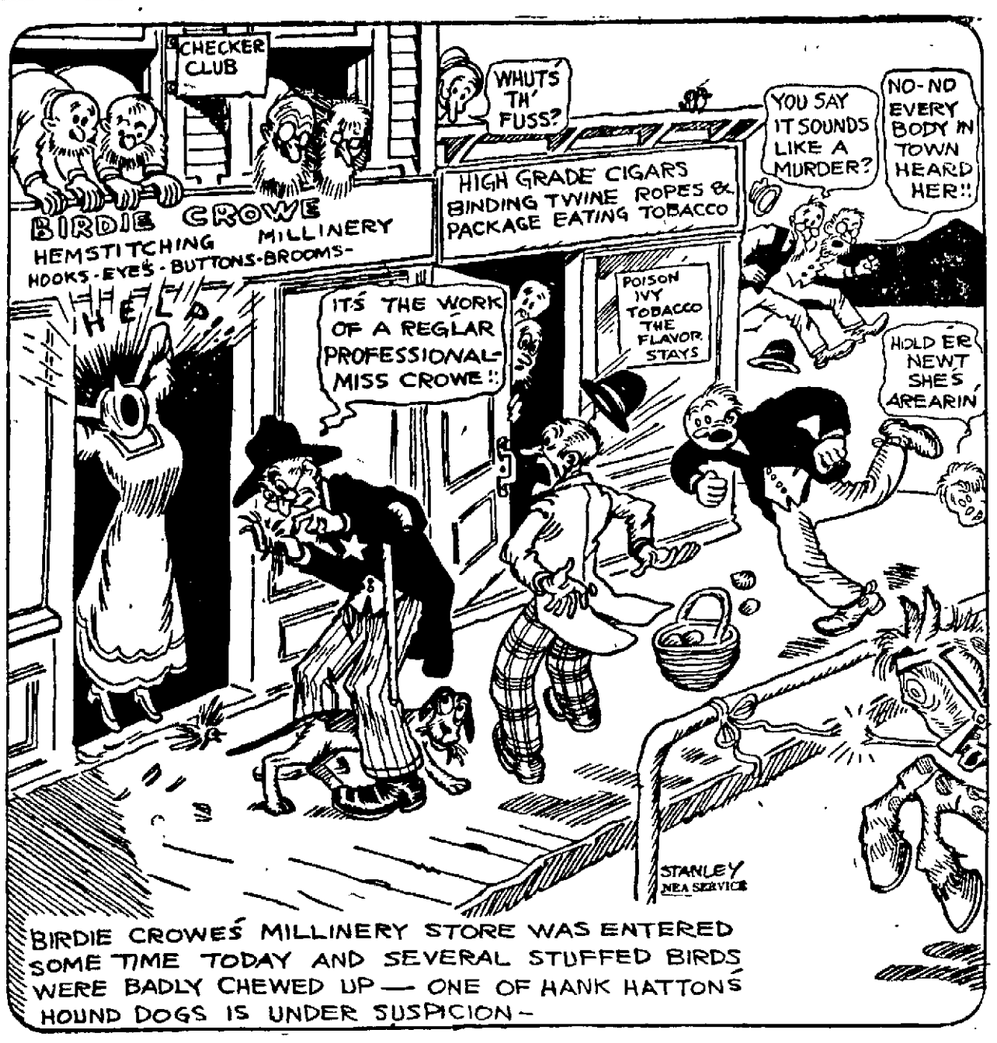
The hen should enjoy a panic. She has to scratch for a living anyway.

THE OLD HOME TOWN By Stanley



President Coolidge likes to ride horseback, but that is only one of the old-fashioned things he does. He has a habit of meaning what he says and saying exactly what he means.

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Now that scopolamin, the new truth drug, has been demonstrated with some success on human beings, why, inquires Gladys, doesn't someone see what it would do to a gas meter?

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She Wins.

They sat upon the garden stile—
The youthlet and the maid;
"The stars above are not so bright
As you," he softly said.

She lifted up her little hand
Toward Luna's golden light;
"The moon above is not so full
As you, my dear, tonight."

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Irene Castle has got a Paris divorce from her husband, Robert E. Treman. She was probably afraid of the "tremens.'

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Hunter McGuire says a friend is a person who likes you in spite of what you are, not because of it.

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The best joke we ever saw on the Ford was one being pulled in by a Chevrolet.

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Time only will show whether or not next year will go down in history as the year Nineteen Twenty-Ford, remarks Junius.

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Heaven Shave Us!

Things could be worse. Just suppose that you had to lather your lawn before cutting the grass.

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It is the guess of Ed Oakes that 9,000,000 acres of skin has been scratched by vacationists this past summer.

CHARLIE CHAPLIN THROUGH WITH PIE THROWING

(By Chicago Tribune Service.)

CHICAGO, Sept. 27.—Charlie Chaplin is through with custard pies and seltzer bottles forever. The famous movie comedian said so himself, today, when he stopped in Chicago on his way to New York to attend the "first night" of his own film production, "A Woman of Paris." Charlie wrote, directed and acted the play himself.

I believe I have thrown my last pie, "was his opening gun when cornered by a score of newspaper men as he stepped from the train this morning. "I doubt if I could do it spontaneously any more, and, unless you can do a thing spontaneously, there is no use trying. My funny walk and my mustache have disappeared also. I'd feel ridiculous if I tried to introduce them again.

"Yes, I shall go back to comedy, but it will be a comedy with a plot, with whimsical humor of character and situation, not slapstick. The play of today must have its emotions not registered or acted, but suppressed, as in real life."

"Who's your new girl?" put in a more direct souled reporter.

"Why," exclaimed Chaplin with a smile, "I haven't seen the magazines yet. And, as for the lady you speak of—there is nothing I can say."

The REFEREE

By ALBERT APPLE

PERPETUAL?

Ten years ago this month, newspaper readers found this headline prominently displayed on the front page: "U. S. Data Shows Cost of Living Racing Upward—Increased 60 Per Cent. Over Average of the Decade Between 1890 and 1900."

That was in 1913.

Today, bewildered and trying to get our bearings, we talk of 1913 as "normal" . . . Wonder how the talk will be drifting, in 1933?

HOUSEWIFE.

A New York woman files a voluntary petition in bankruptcy, stating that her debts are $143,943. Against which, she has assets of only $50—personal belongings.

She describes herself as a "housewife" by occupation.

Ten years ago, this situation would have made a big news story. Today it gets a few inches of space, buried on the financial page of a New York paper. A lot of people are overlooking a great bet by not glancing over the financial page occasionally.

BET.

Three years ago a lawyer bought 15,000 German marks at seven and a half cents apiece. Paying for which he sent $1125 to bankers in Bremen, Germany. Recently he wrote to the bank to inquire about his investment. The bank, answering, informed him that his account with them was "balanced," the present value of his marks barely covering the postage on their reply to him.

The lawyer, realizing that his case is one of many, probably is wondering how much indemnity has been similarly collected by "beaten" Germany.

LIQUOR

Only the rich drink in America now, says William S. Bennet, prominent Chicagoan, former politician. "Ninety per cent. of the violations of the Volstead law are by the rich. The poor man can't pay $75 a case for liquor. On the 200,000 acres the Hines lumber interests control in Wisconsin there isn't a drop of liquor."

STURDY

Sixty-nine years old, Mrs. Amanda Chapman of Miami, Fla., has covered about 2,000 miles of a hiking trip roundabout to California.

The average person, at 69, would want to make the trip in a Pullman or wheelchair.

Reserve your comment until you're 69, then make comparisons.

WAITING

Man is harnessing and using less than one-thousand-millionth part of the energy that gushes to our earth from the sun, according to Sir Oliver Lodge.

Admittedly, this is true. But what's the use of harnessing the rest of it? If we believed the Big Talkers, happiness is a matter of horsepower. Maybe we'd be happier if we harnessed less instead of more.

Man in Cincinnati who wanted a street car to dodge his auto found the darn thing wouldn't.

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Nicest thing about winter is you can wear a vest and keep your shirt clean longer.

You see autos parked all along the country roads these nights, perhaps to save gas.

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Most wool suits are mostly cotton. That's where they pull the wool over your eyes.

Anvil Sparks

Here's hair-raising news from New York. Hairdressers say let the hair grow out.

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Hairdressers are suggesting bought hair be worn, showing they are not asleep at the switch.

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Columbus Day is coming soon. If Columbus Day is coming soon. If Columbus hadn't discovered America we would be foreigners.

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Found booze shipped by mail in North Carolina. Now everybody is meeting the postman.

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These aviators are always hitting upon something new. One hit on a cow in Los Angeles.

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Can't have much fun any more. Man in Texas was fined just for hitting a baseball umpire.

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New York leads in the baseball leagues, but not in the Anti-Saloon and Epworth leagues.

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The German marks you can get for a dollar now look more like a baseball score by innings.

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If Jack Dempsey is all rested up now maybe he will try to tackle a football team.

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Doctors say an Alabama man who started over a fence with a loaded gun will recover.

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Presidential candidates are so busy. Looks as if we will have about forty presidents next time.

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Many are taking advantage of the fall weather to say they didn't mind summer so much.

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There is agitation to limit the price of coal. Our guess is the sky will be the limit.

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Actors look forward to this winter when the audience will applaud to keep their hands warm.

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Among shaky movements on foot are fall dances. All the girls are seconding the motion.

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Fast as candidates throw their hats into the political ring somebody slings mud on them.

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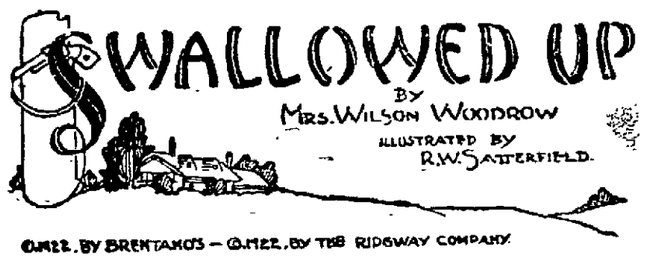
Spokane boy who thought he could rob a bank and get away with it will be 55 when he gets away.



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BEGIN HERE TODAY

Hope Ranger, daughter of wealthy parents, disappears, after having luncheon at the Plaza with her best friend, Lucia Thorne. Hope promises her mother that she will phone to her from her tailor's at 3 o'clock.

Evening comes with no word from Hope. Mrs. Ranger feels alarmed and calls Hope's father from a dinner engagement. At first Mr. Ranger has no misgivings but, after it seems impossible to find trace of his daughter through her many friends, he too feels alarmed.

Ranger calls Eustice Higby, his attorney, who is a warm friend of the family, and asks his assistance in locating Hope. Higby goes to the Thorne residence to question Lucia.

NOW GO ON WITH THE STORY

It seemed for a time, though, that his promised interrogation of Lucia would have to be deferred; for on reaching the house, he rang repeatedly without arousing any response, and when a sleepy servant finally appeared to answer the bell, it required all his powers of persuasion to gain admittance.

But when Mrs. Thorne came down and he had explained the nature of his errand, she readily grasped the situation, and as soon as Lucia could make a hasty toilet, sent her into the room alone.

The girl, he had to confess, seemed appalled at the news her mother had brought her and genuinely alarmed for Hope's safety.

Hope had been in fine spirits at luncheon, she said, and they had talked of a dozen things—Lucia's recent trip abroad, clothes, mutual acquaintances, both men and girls, their plans for the summer. She had teased Hope about two or three men, but Hope had merely shrugged her shoulders and laughed. "I'd be lonesome, Lucia," she had said, "if some one wasn't anxious to pet me; but marriage! I haven't seen the man I'd marry yet, not for a farm." When they parted, it was with an arrangement to see each other the next afternoon, and Hope had given not the slightest suggestion of anything unusual on hand. She had said something about going to the tailor's, and possibly doing a bit of shopping before she went home; that was all.

This left Higby no recourse to appeal to the police; and here he proved himself, on one score at least, a true prophet. The five thousand dollars reward he offered furnished all the incentive required to set the department going at full steam.

Within 12 hours the movements of Hope Ranger were known to a certainty from the time she left her father's door at 25 minutes after 12 until a quarter past three that afternoon.

Leaving home, she had walked down the east side of the Avenue. At 15 minutes to one o'clock, she had stopped at a florist's and bought a gardenia. Then she had crossed at Fifty-ninth Street and met her friends at the Plaza, had gone with Lucia Thorne into the dining-room, remained there an hour, and left the Thornes at 10 minutes past two. At half after two, she had bought a veil in a millinery and dressmaking establishment on Fifty-seventh Street, and had been recognized and called by name by the saleswoman. From there she had gone to a bookstore and asked for a book which she had previously ordered.

She was next seen at the soda-water counter of a fruit-and-sweets shop, where she ordered a maple sundae. It was then exactly 10 minutes after three, the clerk being able to fix the time so definitely from the fact that just after he had set Miss Ranger's order before her, a disturbance had been created by a customer at the cashier's desk over a question of correct change. The altercation had become so heated that the manager of the place had been summoned.

Miss Ranger, like every one else in the shop, had turned to watch the incident, and then, when it had been settled, she finished her sundae and went out.

And from that point, the investigators ran into a blank wall.

After four days of assiduous effort on the part of the Police Department, aided now by an army of private detectives, no clue had been unearthed to indicate what had become of her or whither she had gone.

Mrs. Ranger was by this time under the care of physicians, ill from grief and worry; and her husband, his face lined and haggard, his straight shoulders bowed, looked 20 years older. Even Eustace Higby showed the effects of the strain.

In desperation they decided to make the facts public, and every newspaper in the country was filled with descriptions of the missing girl.

CHAPTER IV

RANGER'S pipes are known all over the world. Buy a pipe—clay, calabash, meerschaum, brier-root or what-not, and in whatever part of the globe—and the chances are ten to one that, "Ranger & Co., Makers," will be found stamped on it.

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HE LAID HIS HAND ON RANGER'S SHOULDER.

a block on Seventh Avenue near Fourteenth Street, and there, as a matter of habit, Ranger continued to go daily in the attempt to win some surcease from anxiety by absorbing himself in the accustomed routine.

So ready was he to listen to every wild story or suggestion offered him that it had been found necessary to post guards before his office door to protect him from the invasion of cranks and impostors.

Thus, one morning, Number One of the cordon peremptorily halted a caller who had attempted to stroll by him, and who now, with too much assurance to be pleasing said that he wished to see "Ranger."

The off-hand manner, as well as the lack of the prefix of "Mister," annoyed the guard. Neither did he find the stranger's appearance prepossessing. Dark, lean, his clothes unpressed, his hat tilted, the man swaggered before him.

"Ranger, eh?"—with heavy sarcasm. "Well, I got to tell you that the boss is busy this morning and can't see anybody—even you."

The visitor shifted his hat to another and more disreputable angle, took an old pipe from his pocket and began to fill it.

"You're new here, my lad; that's plain. But, if you're in doubt take my name, either to Frank Bryan or Loring himself."

The guard scowled, but wavered in his decision to throw the man out. He trusted his own impressions more than he did this airy certainty of welcome. Yet the fellow seemed so confoundedly sure.

He covered his hesitation with truculent repartee.

"Well, s'posin' I do? Who shall I say it is that wants the boss—Lloyd George or Herbert Hoover?"

"Neither." The man flicked a raveling from his sleeve. "He'll probably see me quicker if you give it to him straight. Just say, my good man, that Juarez Charlie is here."

Juarez Charlie! In the face of such a designation, Number One felt his original estimate of the man fully justified. And yet there was something in that dark, obscure glance, in the jeering smile on the glib mouth that overrode his settled judgment. Uncertainly he scratched his jaw.

"I don't know but what I'll take a chance on you," he finally decided. "You ain't so much worse than a lot I've had to let get by. But listen here—" with a return of authority—"if I get in wrong, you'd better not wait. I'm coming back, and if they don't want you, I'll just naturally wipe up the street with you."

As he came into the presence of Ranger's private secretary, Frank Bryan, the impulse that had led him to take in the name of the rakish visitor weakened, and he stood shuffling his feet, uncertain what to say.

"Mr. Bryan, sir, there's a—a party out there, that wants to see Mr. Ranger. He said to tell you or Mr. Ranger that Juarez Charlie—"

"Juarez Charlie!" the secretary snapped. "Why didn't you say so? Show him into the private office at once."

The bewildered guard returned to his post.

"This way, mister," he beckoned with disgruntled civility.

"Never mind." He waved Number One aside. "I know the way."

He passed on, a privileged character, exchanging a word or two with different employes in the outer office and nodding familiarly to others; for, rolling-stone adventurer though he was, grafter and swindler as he was suspected of being, Juarez Charlie was welcome here to come and go as he pleased.

He and Loring Ranger had been boys together.

More than once the successful manufacturer had urged his old associate to take a position with him, offering Charlie his choice either inside the factory or on the road; for it was Ranger's firm belief that the vagabond, if he would only devote himself to it, would make an incomparable salesman.

But Charlie always evaded these efforts at rehabilitation.

His especial gifts were various; perhaps the less said about them the better. He employed them when he felt like it and when opportunity offered; loafed when he left like it; traveled constantly about the country—sometimes first-class, sometimes in the company of yeggs and hoboes—boasted that he had a more comprehensive knowledge of the United States than any other man within its borders, and regarded life on the whole with a cynical, good-humored philosophy which no exigency could daunt or misfortune overwhelm.

There was an unwonted tug of sympathy at Charlie's wrinkled heart, and on a sudden impulse he stepped over and laid his hand on Ranger's shoulder.

"Tough luck, Lorry!" he said huskily. "But don't give way like this, old boy. Brace up; it isn't—it isn't as if your little girl were gone for good."

The friendly touch, the sincerity of feeling in his tone brought an unexpected response. A tremor ran through the manufacturer's bent frame; then, with a groan, he dropped his head in his hands.

"It's no use, Charlie." His voice came brokenly. "No use to try and deceive myself. She is gone for good."

He turned away to hide his working face, then twisted round and began to talk rapidly. Here at last was some one to whom he could lay bare all that was in his mind.

"Look at the facts, Charlie. Look at the facts. It's a month yesterday since Hope went away—was taken away, I mean—and in all that time not a word from her—not a word of her. Only this horrible silence—like a thick black curtain meeting me everywhere I turn.

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EDITOR OF HIGH POINT NEWSPAPER DIES SUDDENLY

(By The Associated Press.)

HIGH POINT, N. C., Sept. 27. — J. J. Farris, editor of the High Point News, and one of the city's most prominent men, dropped dead while talking with a friend in front of a local hotel here tonight. Heart disease was the cause of death.

Mr. Farris had just left the hotel where he attended a meeting of the Rotary club of which he was a charter member. He had planned to celbrate his 57th birthday tomorrow, he having been born September 28, 1865. Among those surviving is a brother, Dr. Charles Farris, of Deland, Florida, a wife and two sons, Charles and James.

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CLINGS TO HUSBAND

This is the best photograph yet to be published of Mrs. Beryl Curtis Ward, wife of Walter Ward, and their two children, since Ward went on trial at White Plains, N. Y., for his life for the slaying of Clarence Peters, former sailor. It was taken at Sutton Manor.

Judge Will Give Case To Jury On Ward's Birthday

(By The Associated Press.)

WHITE PLAINS, N. Y., Sept. 27—Attorney General Sherman, the state's chief prosecutor in the trial of Walter S. Ward for the murder of Clarence Peters, of Haverhill, Mass., delivered a final appeal to the jury today in argument of the case. He spoke 3 hours and 10 minutes and the defense presented by Isaac N. Mills, Ward's chief attorney yesterday in his four hours and 15 minutes before the jury, was assailed ruthlessly Justice Wagner will charge the jury tomorrow, and the fate of the accused will be in its hands. Tomorrow will be Ward's 32nd birthday.

Since the defense did not call witnesses but rested at the close of the prosecution's case, it will not have an opportunity for rebuttal Ward entered the courtroom smiling arm in arm with his wife, a sheriff behind him Ten minutes later his smile had disappeared under the ferocity of Sherman's attack. "Walter S. Ward killed an unarmed sailor boy," he heard the prosecutor charge.

"He framed the self defense and the black mail story,"—"Ward was only pretending blackmail to get money out of his father, George S. Ward."—"Blackmail? hokum"—He fooled his attorneys, they found it out and are ashamed to admit it. Fear drove Ward to disclose that he killed Peters. If the boy's body hadn't been identified, four days after his death, the lips of Ward, police commissioner of New Rochelle, would have remained sealed to this day."

Mrs. Ward, too smiled as she took her place behind her husband, inside the rail. She nodded pleasantly to women friends who greeted her and confided to some that the mail had brought sixty letters of sympathy from other women all over the land. Since the trial began she had received nearly 3,000 such letters, she said, most, but not all, of the praising her for remaining staunch to her husband.

"When a lawyer has no defense he tosses sand in the eyes of the jury, issues a smoke screen and gets out of his camouflage," the state's attorney general began. The whole long summation by the defendant's counsel was a pitiful demonstration against the damaging and conclusive evidence submitted by the state.

"Supposing a man kills another in his office, he gives himself up, saying the stranger was robbing his safe. Supposing it is discovered that there was no safe in that office, but that one was planted there the day after the shooting. That killing would be murder in the first degree."

Sherman used the illustration with his charge that the gun Ward turned over to authorities as the one with which Peters shot at him on the lonely road near Kensico reservoir that night of May 15, 1922, was Ward's own gun, and that the blackmail story was a myth, belatedly related. "If, by statement or confession, a man says he killed another in self defense," Sherman continued "and it is demonstrated that a part of that statement is false, the jury must cast out the untruths and judge on the facts that remain of the confession."

"And where is any evidence of the blackmail," exclaimed the attorney general.

Pointing at Ward, "He says he gave the gang $40,000 and that $75,000 more had been demanded of him. The only evidence that he was blackmailed is in his own statement."

"We dont want to know about any scandal in his past, we don't want to besmirch the name of anybody. But don't you, the jury, want to know about that $40,000, about that blackmail gang? Don't you want to see some of these terrible letters the blackmailers sent him, threatening the lives of his wife and children; to hear about those telephoned threats?"

Then, to destroy Ward's statement as to the manner he shot Peters the Attorney General drew out the bloody shirt and vest Peters wore, laid them in the jury box rail and proceeded with a vivid renactment of the shooting as the defense had had described it.

JAILED GLASS EATER ASKS MORE THAN CAPTIVES DIET

BERWICK, Pa., Sep. 26.—With Edward Burns, a glass eater, sentenced to 10 days in the lock-up on bread and water, borough police have a problem to solve in the rations to be given him. In view of his diet for the past 10 days, the change will be so great that Burns asked after his hearing last night that it be increased and something hard be fed him "to keep the membranes of the throat, stomach and intestines in trim."

He is an amateur in the glass-eating game and declared firmly at the hearing before Burgess Kitchen that the glass had fermented and caused his intoxication.

Babson Asserts Slow Payments Hinder Business

WELLESLEY HILLS, Mass., Sept. 27—Roger W. Babson has been making a careful analysis of credit conditions based on reports from his various correspondents throughout the United States. His findings reported today are of unusual interest to all business men and nivestors.

"Careful students of the financial situation are surprised at the action of the 'Reserve Ratio Fgures' of the Federal Reserve Banks and the similar figure for the New York Banks," says Mr. Babson. "With the tremendous amount of gold in the country and with new gold constantly being mined, it seems strange that this figure should decrease Furthermore, even although this is the crop moving season there seems no logical reason why our banks should put out additional currency. There is an abundance of money in the country for all legitimate needs. The only difficulty is that too much of it is being used in illegitimate ways, and too much is being hoarded in sections where it is not needed. The country does not need to issue more money, but the farmers and legitimate business instead of speculators in stocks, food stuffs, and wearing apparel should have the use of the billions already issued. Eliminate special and unreasonable storage and there will be money enough for every legitimate need in every line of industry

"Yet this speculation in stocks and commodities does not account for the clogging which is taking place today in our credit system Of the various reasons advanced I believe the fundamental difficulty is due to the fact that people are not paying their bills Ever since the decline in business, which began a few months ago, there has been a tendency for manufacturers, jobbers, retailers, and consumers to slow up in their payment of bills. Of course, the whole thing is an endless chain. Just as soon as one link stops the entire chain must stop. Yet there is absolutely no reason for such action. It is a psychological or moral condition rather than an economic condition. Business and the flow of money is like the flow of blood in one's veins. Anything which retards circulation harms everyone.

"An analysis of the balance sheets of our large industries shows that they are very largely 'made or unmade' by their 'accounts receivable' which is simply the accountant's name for money owed to them. For instance, the fertilizer business, as a business, is perfectly sound. Not only are fertilizers needed but they are needed more every year. It is a fundamental industry and yet most of the fertilizer companies are having very hard sledding at the present time, and their securities are selling very low. The reason primarily is that farmers are buying fertilizers on credit and are not paying their bills. The chain stores, on the other hand, are very flourishing today and their stocks are selling high. The main reason for this is that these chain stores are doing a cash business. They have no 'accounts receivable' and are able to discount their bills and carry large cash balances.

"In the case of almost every corporation the credit policy is an important factor and any investor buying securities today should give it careful consideration. This is especially true today when industrial stocks are so much more popular than railroads and public utility stocks. Notwithstanding their troubles the railroads and public utilities do a cash business. This applies not only to transportation companies, but also to lighting and telephone companies.

"All of this means that one of the best things we can do to bring back prosperity is to promptly pay our bills. Moreover, this applies to wage workers as well as employers to retailers as well as to manufacturers; to people in small country towns as well as to people in the large cities. The little bills must be paid before the big ones can be paid. Before the manufacturer can pay his bills, the wholesaler must pay the manufacturer; before the jobber can pay the wholesaler, the retailer must pay the jobber, and before the retailer can pay the jobber, you and I must pay him. Prompt settlement will do much toward keeping the business from going lower. The Balsonchart now shows it at 10 per cent. below normal."

NAVY WILL PLAY CHAMP OF THE PACIFIC COAST

ANNAPOLIS, Mr., Sept. 27.—The navy fotball team will be permitted to make a trip to California to meet the intercollegiate champions of the Pacific coast on New Years Day, it was officially announced today by Rear Admiral Henry B. Wilson, superintendent of the Naval Academy.

The announcement is by way of acceptance of an invitation from the Pasadena Tournament of Roses Association extended a couple of weeks ago.

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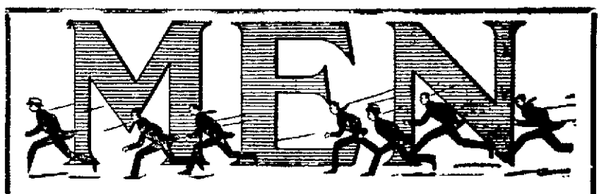

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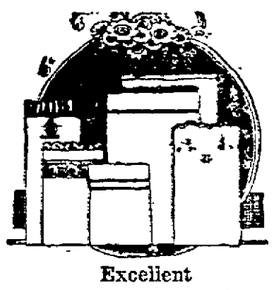

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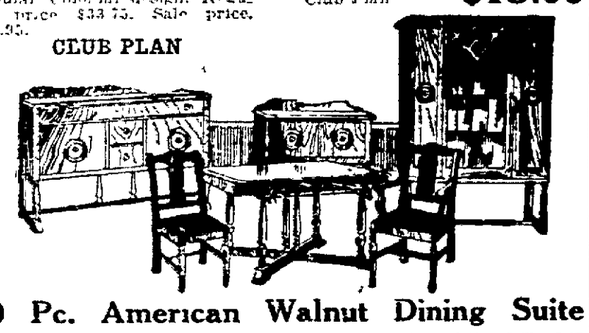

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Explain Doctrine Of Naval Vessels Regarding Leader

(By The Associated Press)

SAN DIEGO, Calif., Sept. 27—More complete exposition of the "destroyer doctrine" by which officers are trained to "follow their leader occupied a large share of today's session of the naval court of inquiry investigating the disaster in which six vessels trailed the U. S. S. Delphy to destruction on the rocks off Honda, California, September 8. Twenty-three lives were lost in the crash. A declaration that this doctrine of "do and dare and follow the leader," was responsible for the success of American destroyer squadrons in the world war was drawn from one defendant witness today by Admiral Wm. V. Pratt, presiding member of the court, "in order," the admiral explained, "to forestall any misconception of the spirit which motives the officers of the destroyer squadron" in facing full tilt behind their flagship wherever it may lead.

Commander William S. Pye, division chief in the squadron that was wrecked, testified that at one point on the voyage down the coast from San Francisco he had noted that the Delphy was steering a course that would soon lead them into danger, but he had hardly reached the conclusion that the course was dangerous before she signalled a swerve into safer waters.

Commander L. P. Davis, of the U. S. S. Woodbury, fourth in line when the crash came, corroborated previous testimony to the effect that navigators of vessels astern of the Delphy saw no reason for alarm in the course he was steering. He said there was no justification for them in "destroyer doctrine," had they chosen to question it.

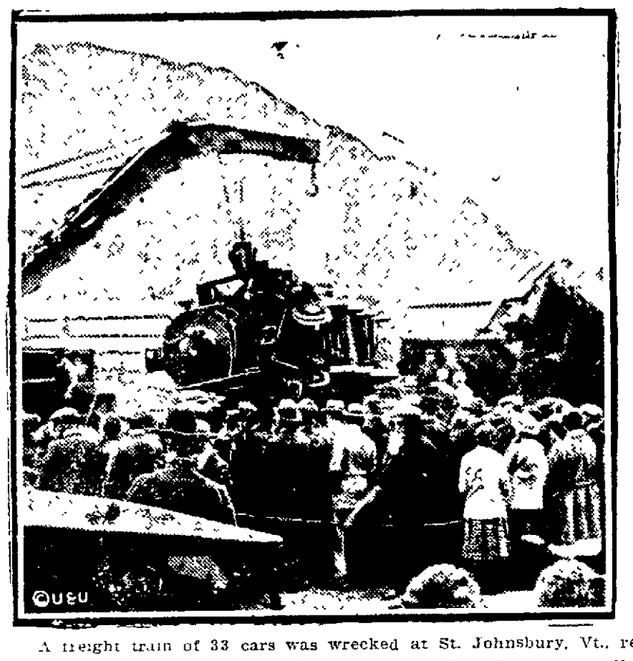
"Destroyer doctrine," explained Commander Davis, seeks to imbue in the offices of a squadron the spirit and ideas of the squadron leader and seeks to make them always ready to follow him without question."

ORDERS WORK RESUMED

(By The Associated Press.)

DUSSELDORF, Sept. 27.— A Berlin dispatch received here announces that the German government has issued orders to the officials in the Ruhr to resume work and cease passive resistance.

AN ENGINE ON ITS SIDE



A freight train of 33 cars was wrecked at St. Johnsbury, Vt., recently. The engineer of the train was killed when the engine rolled over on its side, pinning him underneath.

ESCAPED MONKEY TURNS UP IN COLLEGE DORMITORY

ROANOKE, Sept. 26—The escaped monkey which led local officers a merry chase on Mill Mountain Sunday, turned up yesterday in the dormitory of Virginia College. It horrified the women there who called for help. Soon Dr. W. P. Weaver, a veterinary surgeon, appeared with a lasso which he whirled at the lithe little fellow and fastened on him the first time he tried. Dr. Weaver will try to get in touch with the proprietors of the Zeidman and Pollie shows, from which the animal escaped at the Great Roanoke Fair last week, and return him. A reward is understood to have been offered.

Only three were bagged in one Michigan hunt—three hunters.

Legislation For Vets Will Rank At Next Congress

By GEORGE H. MANNING

WASHINGTON, D. C., Sept. 27—Legislation for the World War Veterans of the United States will take rank along with farm relief measures, coal, and railroad matters in the coming session of Congress as one of the most important subjects to be dealth with.

According to the latest indications, there will be at least a half a dozen proposals of great importance to all the war veterans and ex-service men of the country presented to Congress, with powerful backing arguing strongly for their passage.

Within the present week, President Coolidge has been asked by General Frank T. Hines, director of the Veterans' Bureau, to include in his message to Congress a recommendation for the adoption of a plan for admitting all ex-service men to government hospitals free of charge at any time they may need treatment, regardless of the origin of their sickness or disability. This would be one of the greatest benefits yet granted to the four and a half million ex-service men of the country, in the opinion of leaders of veterans' organizations.

At the same time, the president was presented by a delegation of officers of the Veterans of Foreign Wars with a program of seven measures favored by that organization, which he was urged to include also in his recommendations to Congress.

In the meantime, the Disabled American Veterans' organization has been working actively for several months on a campaign to secure the support of members of Congress for the legislative program which was adopted at the annual convention of the body held in June.

Several of the members of the House, who saw active service during the war, are also understood to have been devoting considerable time during the recess to laying thir plans for vetreans' relief programs which they intend to push. While, of course, a number of the most influential leaders in both the House and Senate have given a great deal of thought to working out plans for a soldier bonus bill which will provide its own means of finance.

While the program of the Disabled Veterans' organization is an extremely thorough and comprehensive one, comprising thirty-five distinct measures, many of these deal largely with comparatively minor details of administration of veterans' legislation. The leading features of this program are nearly identical with the measures recommendd to the president this week by the Veterans of Foreign Wars.

The bonus, or adjusted compensation bill; opening of government hospitals to all ex-service men of all wars for treatment at any time regardless of the source of disability; the establishment of a committee in the House of Representativs to handle all legislation dealing with veterans' legislation; the codification of Veterans' Bureau laws and the unification of rating scales for compensation and vocational training, and the enactment of adequate legislation for the relief of all veterans of all wars, giving especial attention to the disabled and maimed, are the principal provisions outlined for the president by General Lloyd M. Brett, commander in chief of the Veterans of Foreign Wars. In addition, any further decreases in the army and navy are opposed; and the enactment of strict naturalization and immigration laws advocated.

The passage of bonus bill is generally regarded as practically certain, the only question being which one of the several methods of providing for its paymnt will be adopted. It is probable, however, that a sales tax will be provided, this being the method favored by Senator Smoot, chairman of the Senate Finance Committee.

The provision of hospital treatment for all veterans, with the support of General Hines, is not believed likely to encounter serious opposition. Estimates of the expense of carrying the program into effect will be placed before Congress by ex-service organizations' leaders as well as by the Veterans' Bureau, and, according to General Hines, the cost will not be very great until after the bureau has completed the hospitalization of its present patients, which will not be for some time yet.

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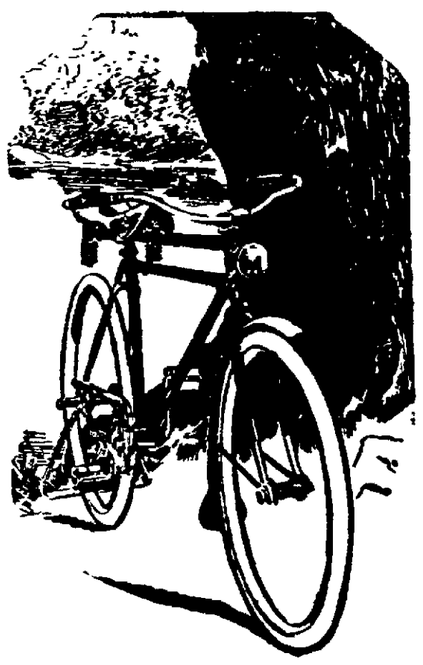

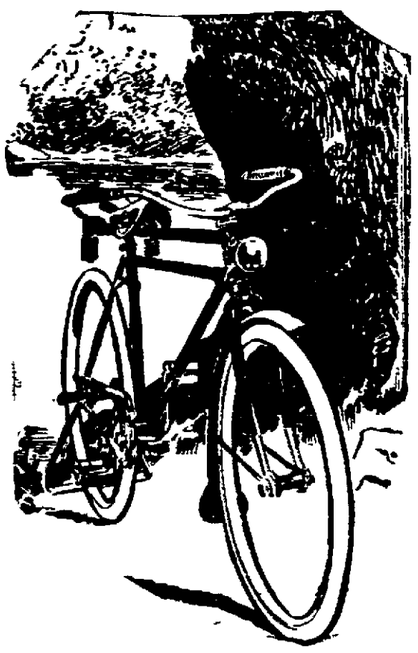

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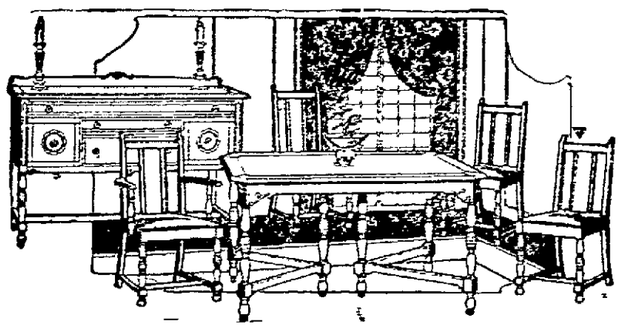

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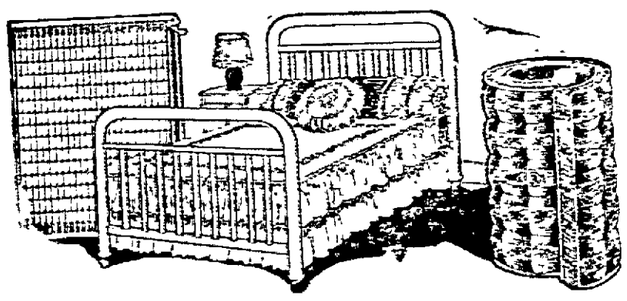

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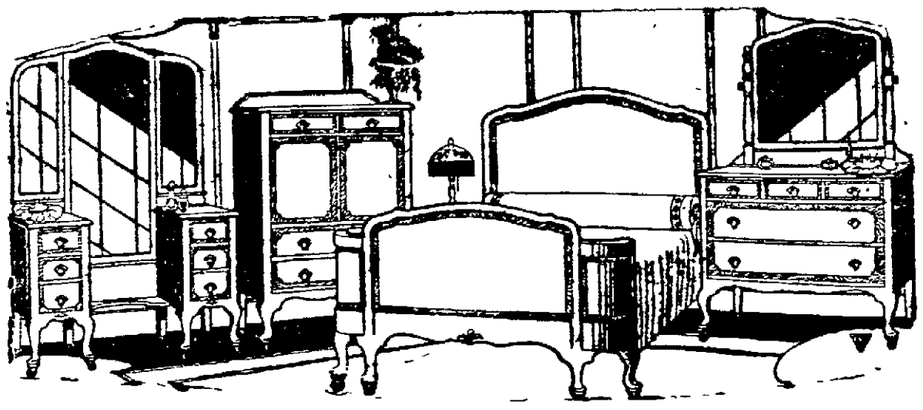

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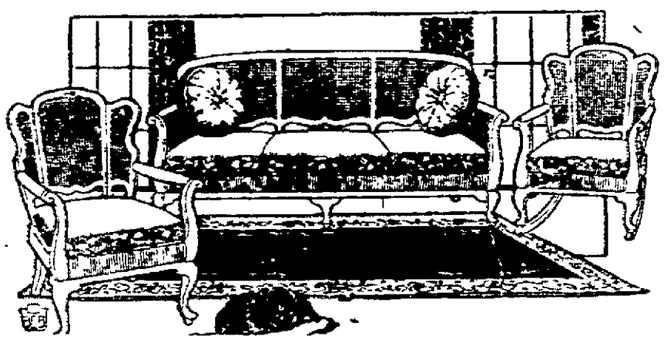

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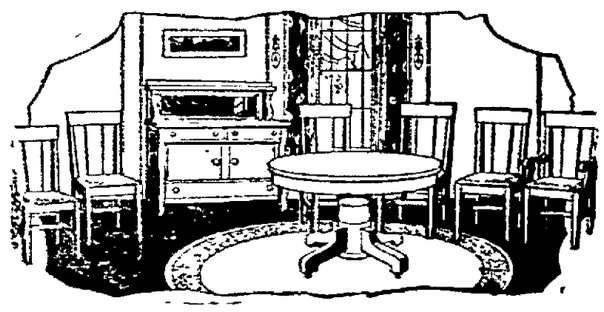

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National League

BOSTON 7; PHILLIES 2.

(By The Associated Press.)

PHILADELPHIA, Sept. 27.—Boston took the opening game of the series from Philadelphia today 7 to 2. Ring weakened in the fifth when Boeskel hit a homer with two on base.

Score:		R	H	E
Boston	000 051 100	7	12	1
Phillies	000 002 000	2	11	0

Cooney and E. Smith; Ring Perkinson, Head Bishop and Wilson.

CHICAGO 8; PIRATES 2

CHICAGO, Sept. 27.—O'Farrell's home run drive with two on base gave Keen a winning margin in the first inning, and Chicago won from Pittsburgh here today 8 to 2. Miller also poled a homer, with the aid of Outfielder Cuyler, who touched a high bounder off Miller's bat and sent the ball into the bleachers. A man was on base.

Score:		R	H	E
Pittsburgh	010 010 000	2	6	1
Chicago	300 002 30x	8	11	0

Mamilton, Stone and Schmidt, ooch; Keen and O'Farrell.

FOUR EVENTS IN GRAND CIRCUIT

(By The Associated Press.)

COLUMBUS, Ohio, Sept. 27 Four class events, mediocre in quality featured today's grand circuit card in which favorites were generally successful. Plae Face, an equal first choice with War Pride won the two first heats of the 2:17 pace which had thirteen starters. Ruby Gatewood, an outsider, won the final heat. June Marie was a straight heat winner in the 2:15 trot, while the sign kept up his string of successes by taking all three heats of the 2:10 pace.

The only strong favorite to lose was Volo Chimes, who was made a first choice in the 2:18 trot. Breaks put him out of the running in each of the first two heats, each of which was won by Mabel Higginson.

It was announced today that five races will be held tomorrow and that there will be no Saturday program.

Virginians Lead League Figures

President W. G. Bramham of the Piedmont League, has just sent out the official batting and fielding averages of the league for the season ended September 15th. The elaborate tabular statement appearing on the sport pages today will furnish scope for analysis and for much interesting data later as the Stove League begins its season.

Naturally the Danville team, which was the runner up for the lead in the first half and a decisive winner of first place in the second half, is prominent in the statistical standing of the players. Carr Smith, of the Raleigh team, who appears to have just "found himself" during the 1923 season led the swatsmen of the entire circuit but he is closely pressed by R. Floyd Trexler, of the Danville team, both in batting average for the entire season and as the home run champion of the league. Trexler, who played in more games than the Raleigh pole-king, finished with a batting average of around .382 for the entire season and he is credited with 22 home runs to 24 for C. Smith. Trexler is well up in the list of base-stealers, but Eddie Regan of Danville, leads all the rest as a speed merchant on the bases. It is further of interest to add that Second Baseman Leard of Danville is second in stolen bases, while Trexler, Dorman and other Danville players shine in base-running. In fact, the Danville team is a remarkable one in its record of stolen bases and the general participation of the team in that record.

Freddie Dorman, Danville's sensational short stop, batted at a .312 clip for the second of 126 games in which he played, his bingles being good for 211 total bases, while he pilfered 33 cushions during the season. Bill Leard fell slightly below the exclusive .300 batting class with an average of .293 for 122 games and a record of 37 stolen bases. Manager Murphy by reason of his managerial responsibilities and a stubborn case of pleurisy during the late season fell below .300, batting .287, his 119 hits being good, however, for 181 total bases. Trexler leads the league in total bases.

The batting averages of other who played with Danville during the season or part of it are thus summarized: Resco, .281; Winston, .263; Overton, .259; Harris, .252; Maitland, .250; Kearney, .250; Watts .250; Land 242; Wilson, .210; Cochlin, .200; Twombly .082.

Anderson, of Winston, led the first baseman in fielding with .990; Herndon is second with .985; McMillian next with .984, while Resco who was with Durham part of the season, fielded .970.

Leard easily leads the league second baseman in fielding with the remarkable average of .973, while Danny Overton ranks next with .955, and Teague of Greensboro, fielded .952.

Black, of Winston, leads the third baseman with .952, for 76 games; but Carroll, of Greensboro, is the real fielding leader in that position with .937 for 120 games. Murphy averaged .881 at the hot corner.

As far as averages show, Schmidt, of High Point, led the shortstop in fielding with an average of .962, with Magrann second with .947; then Lennox, of Raleigh, 940 and Dorman of Danville, .927. But despite these figures veteran and disinterested judges acclaim the Danville lad as the premier short fielder of the league.

Dave Cochlin, of Danville, leads all the catchers with an average of .980 for 64 games, while Siner, of Raleigh, who caught 100 games is close behind with .978, and Lou Kearney, of Danville a close third with .973.

Among the brilliant array of outfielders Irby of High Point is the real star. In 122 games and 293 chances, he fielded faultlessly. Other rank in this order: Carter, Winston, in 112 games, .984; Shay, Greensboro, in 119 games, .981; L. Thrasher, High Point, in 126 games, .978; Trexler in 127 games, .974; Ted Smith in 102 games, .972; Duncan, of Raleigh, in 116 games, .971; Regan, of Danville, in 114 games, .952.

Pitchers Maitland and Caviness, of Danville, fielded flawlessly, as did Hengehold, of Winston in 35 games. Braxton Gibson in 42 games fielded .986, having one error in 69 fielding chances.

Grier Friday of Raleigh, led all the hurlers in percentage of games won, winning 8 and losing 2; Maitland, of Danville, ranks second with .750, having won 6 of his 8 decisive games. Keifer, of Raleigh, won 11 and lost 4; while Twombly, of Danville, won 16 and lost 7; Crews, of Greensboro, won 22 and lost 10; Eldridge, High Point, won 20, lost 10; L. Harris, Danville, won 14, lost 7; Lawrence Wilson, Danville, won 14, lost 7; S. B. Gibson, Danville, won 19, lost 11.

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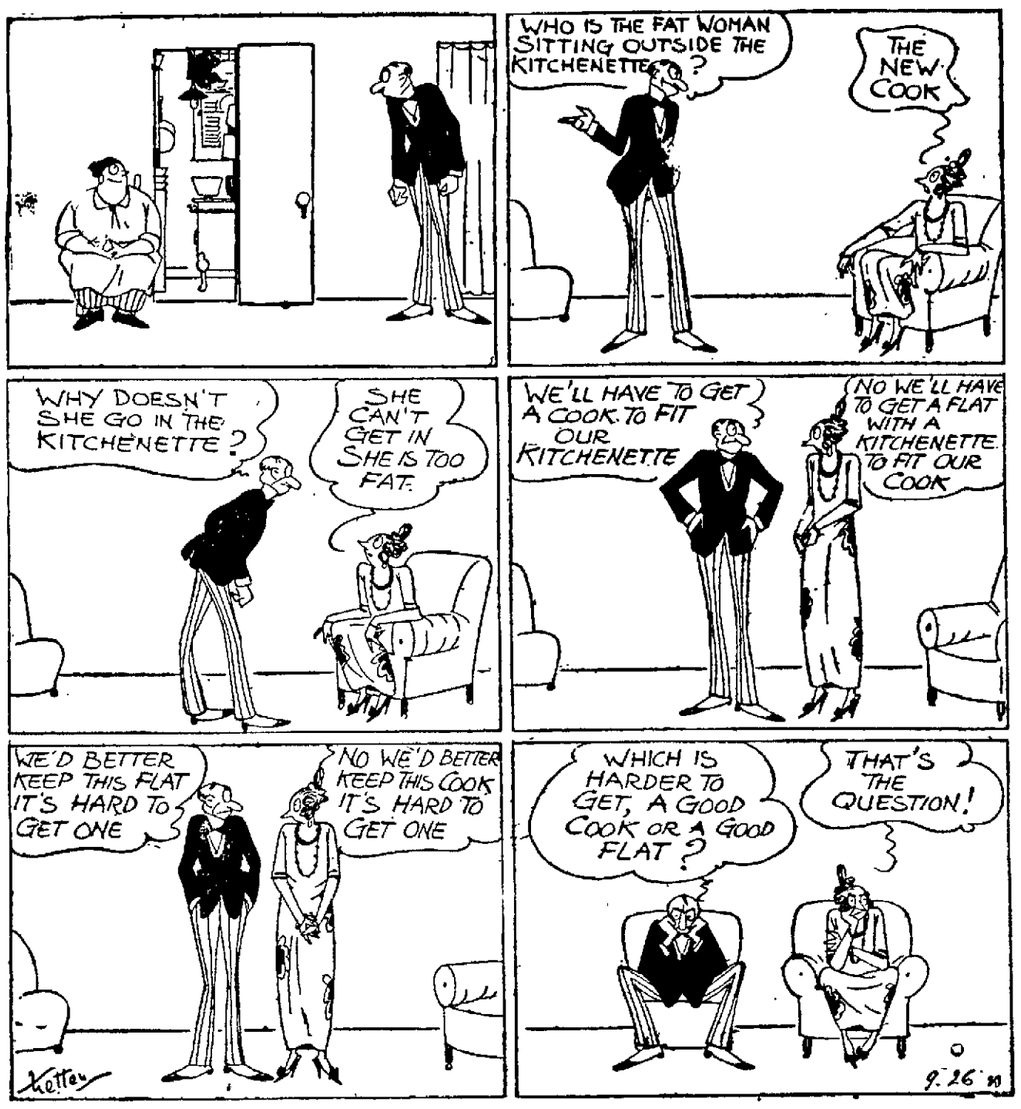

TWO MEET DEATH IN AUTO CRASH

FLORENCE, S. C., Sept. 27. — Marion Commander, 30, a traveling salesman of this place, and Mr. Miller, 35, who lived near here; were killed here tonight when a coupe in which they were riding collided with a pile of stone in Dargan street. The car mounted the stone, estimated to be a dozen or more feet high, and was precipitated against a telephone pole and demolished.

MOVE QUARTERS

The Christian Science Society has removed its quarters from the Holland building to rooms 718 and 719 in the Masonic Temple building. The first service will be held there Sunday morning.

Piedmont League 1923 Official Averages

Standing of Clubs—First Half:

Clubs:	W	L	T	Avg.
Greensboro	36	23	1	.610
Danville	35	27		.565
High Point	35	27		.565
Winston-Salem	30	32		.484
Durham	24	36		.400
Raleigh	23	38	1	.377

Standing of Clubs—Second Half.

Clubs:	W	L	T	Avg
Danville	39	23	3	.62[illegible]
Raleigh	34	29	3	.54[illegible]
High Point	30	32	2	.48[illegible]
Greensboro	29	33	1	.46[illegible]
Winston-Salem	29	32	2	.47[illegible]
Durham	26	37	3	.41[illegible]

Play-Off.

	W	L	Avg.
Danville	4	0	1000
Greensboro	0	4	0000

Club Batting Averages.

Clubs	Ga	AB	R	H	Tb	2b	3b	Hr	Sh	Bb	Hb	Sh	So	Avg
High Point	126	4388	781	1329	1976	307	50	80	143	479	39	101	375	303
Greensboro	126	4196	666	1214	1713	252	26	65	162	429	53	159	301	28[illegible]
Danville	127	4188	708	1205	1757	230	41	80	194	394	60	198	352	28[illegible]
Raleigh	128	4341	687	1247	1813	189	109	53	156	368	35	81	428	287
Winston	125	4232	637	1197	1615	209	67	25	134	364	45	127	344	283
Durham	126	4168	549	1141	1658	176	70	37	150	394	34	117	339	27[illegible]

Club Fielding Averages.

Clubs:	PO	A	E	Avg
Durham	3244	1615	166	96[illegible]
High Point	3288	1533	195	96[illegible]
Winston-Salem	3245	1456	197	96[illegible]
Greensboro	3311	1589	226	95[illegible]
Danville	3313	1506	230	95[illegible]
Raleigh	3289	1534	262	94[illegible]

INDIVIDUAL FIELDING AVERAGES.

First Basemen.

Player:	Ga	PO	A	E	Avg
Meekin, H. P.	27	263	12	0	1000
Anderson, WS.	115	1045	47	11	99[illegible]
Herndon, H. P.	73	772	28	12	98[illegible]
Thompson, H. P.	5	61	1	1	98[illegible]
McMillan, Durham	61	667	23	11	98[illegible]
Barrett, Raleigh	44	434	19	6	98[illegible]
Sessions, Raleigh	16	160	13	3	98[illegible]
Dayton, Durham	5	54	00	1	98[illegible]
Cox, Greensboro	126	1326	81	32	97[illegible]
Allison, Winston-Salem	27	338	18	10	97[illegible]
McCullough, Winston Salem	11	102	3	3	97[illegible]
Resco, Danville	120	1187	30	27	97
Alexander, Raleigh	22	197	18	7	96[illegible]
Smith, T., Danville	14	204	12	8	96[illegible]
Whitted, Durham	6	53	1	4	94[illegible]
Edwards, Raleigh	29	211	20	13	94[illegible]
Smith, C., Raleigh	17	141	13	9	94[illegible]

Second Basemen.

Player:	Ga	PO	A	E	Avg
Leard, Danville	122	373	355	20	97[illegible]
Overton, High Point	97	249	299	26	95[illegible]
Sessions, Raleigh	15	24	35	3	95[illegible]
Teague, Greensboro	120	213	360	29	95[illegible]
Sullivan, Raleigh	14	35	42	4	95[illegible]
Faber, Winston-Salem	15	32	46	5	94[illegible]
Meekin, High Point	14	29	37	4	94[illegible]
McCullough, Winston-Salem	93	232	267	33	93[illegible]
Allison, Winston-Salem	20	43	51	7	93[illegible]
Davis, High Point	11	25	31	4	93[illegible]
Johnson, Raleigh	12	23	44	5	93[illegible]
Carey, Raleigh	77	188	224	33	92[illegible]
Harris, D., Greensboro	25	47	59	9	92[illegible]
Benson, Durham	108	247	333	50	92[illegible]
Heine, Durham	22	45	50	9	91[illegible]
Heckel, Danville	11	21	23	6	88[illegible]

Third Basemen.

Player:	Ga	PO	A	E	Avg
Black, Winston-Salem	76	85	113	6	95[illegible]
Faber, Winston-Salem	25	23	61	5	94[illegible]
Carroll, Greensboro	120	116	242	24	93[illegible]
Myers, Danville	32	38	67	8	92[illegible]
Jones, Raleigh	20	28	23	4	92[illegible]
Heine, Durham	72	79	158	19	92[illegible]
Johnson, Raleigh	14	25	35	5	92[illegible]
Sullivan, Raleigh	24	38	40	7	91[illegible]
Kane, High Point	123	131	190	34	90[illegible]
Fuhrey, Winston-Salem	20	23	56	9	89[illegible]
Butts, Durham	20	17	40	7	891
Murphy, Danville	110	128	109	32	88[illegible]
Smith, Raleigh	36	40	47	14	86[illegible]
Anderson, Raleigh	12	14	13	5	84[illegible]
Sessions, Raleigh	8	13	14	15	84[illegible]
Minter, Raleigh	7	10	9	4	826

Shortstops.

Player:	Ga	PO	A	E	Avg
Schmidt, High Point	125	289	464	30	96[illegible]
Magrann, Greensboro	123	291	406	60	94[illegible]
Lennox, Raleigh	128	317	393	45	94[illegible]
Fuhrey, Winston-Salem	63	147	171	21	93[illegible]
Stringfield, Durham	88	183	294	37	92[illegible]
Dorman, Danville	126	332	421	59	92[illegible]
Faber, Winston-Salem	45	103	163	22	92[illegible]
Heine, Durham	27	53	68	13	90[illegible]
Marlette, Winston-Salem	17	44	40	10	884

Catchers.

Player:	Ga	PO	A	E	Avg
Allison, Winston-Salem	11	49	6	1	98[illegible]
Powell, High Point	15	61	12	1	98[illegible]
Cochlin, Danville	64	308	88	8	98[illegible]
Siner, Raleigh	100	314	136	10	97[illegible]
Lowe, Danville	9	34	7	1	97[illegible]
Kearney, Danville	85	326	64	11	973
Black, Winston-Salem	31	102	32	4	97[illegible]
Sessions, Raleigh	10	46	14	2	96[illegible]
Land, Danville	24	126	17	5	2[illegible]
Hamby, Winston-Salem	88	310	76	14	96
Vigurest, Durham	63	223	72	12	96[illegible]
Thompson, High Point	114	417	107	22	96[illegible]
Pierre, Greensboro	109	429	83	23	95[illegible]
Hayworth, Greensboro	20	56	15	4	94[illegible]
Brittain, Durham	10	36	7	3	93[illegible]
Savage, Raleigh	11	43	11	5	91
Dayton, Durham	7	17	15	8	91[illegible]

Outfielders.

Player:	Ga	PO	A	E	Avg
Morbach, Greensboro	7	114	0	0	1000
Sessions, Raleigh	7	15	2	0	1000
Harris, Leo, Danville	11	5	2	0	1000
Stringfield, Durham	17	32	4	0	1000
Irby, High Point	121	281	12	0	1000
Allison, Winston-Salem	8	9	1	0	1000
Whitted, Durham	16	76	1	1	98[illegible]
Carter, Winston-Salem	112	238	14	4	98[illegible]
Waldrop, Raleigh	55	101	15	3	98[illegible]
Roberts, Durham	26	48	4	1	98[illegible]
Shay, Greensboro	119	289	24	6	98[illegible]
Thrasher, L., High Point	126	217	10	6	97[illegible]
Trexler, Danville	127	243	20	7	97[illegible]
Smith, T., Danville	102	154	13	5	97[illegible]
Duncan, Raleigh	116	209	27	7	97
Hamby, Winston-Salem	11	25	3	1	96[illegible]
Landreth, Winston-Salem	14	27	1	1	96[illegible]
Sadler, Durham	16	25	0	1	96[illegible]
Butts, Durham	35	69	6	3	96[illegible]
Conley, Greensboro	117	206	14	10	95[illegible]
Meekin, High Point	7	18	3	1	95[illegible]
O'Hara, Greensboro	124	270	23	14	95
Smith, C., Raleigh	55	120	23	7	95[illegible]
Regan, Danville	114	244	16	13	95[illegible]
Graves, Raleigh	125	324	16	18	95[illegible]
Long, Winston-Salem	88	160	14	10	94[illegible]
Winkler, Winston-Salem	25	47	4	3	94[illegible]
Dayton, Durham	71	111	8	7	94[illegible]
Tolbert, High Point	94	142	11	10	93[illegible]
Clark, Winston-Salem	90	231	21	17	93[illegible]
Gooch, Durham	122	205	15	15	93[illegible]
Jesmer, Danville	11	25	0	2	92[illegible]
Thrasher, G., High Point	34	59	8	12	91[illegible]
Dannielly, Danville	59	122	8	12	91[illegible]
Hengehold, Winston-Salem	14	19	4	3	88[illegible]
Edwards, Raleigh	14	19	4	3	88[illegible]
Vigurest, Durham	11	14	3	3	85[illegible]
Winston, Danville	14	27	2	3	80[illegible]
Valentine, Raleigh	8	9	2	3	78[illegible]

Pitchers.

Player:	Ga	PO	A	E	Avg
McWhorter, High Point	7	1	8	0	1000
Morbach, Greensboro	4	2	2	0	1000
Caviness, Danville	7	4	12	0	1000
Toles, Danville	5	0	4	0	1000
Maitland, Danville	12	0	10	0	1000
Allen, C. G., Durham	25	8	47	0	1000
Hunter, High Point	10	8	47	0	1000
Hengehold, Winston-Salem	35	10	49	0	100[illegible]

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McLeod, Winston-Salem	10	1	25	0	1000
Eldridge, High Point	38	11	68	1	987
Gibson, B., Danville	42	10	58	1	986
Uzzell, Greensboro	44	8	108	2	983
Miller, Winston-Salem	31	5	48	1	981
Valentine, Raleigh	14	8	29	1	974
Stiteler, Durham	32	8	62	2	972
Kiefer, Raleigh	18	8	23	1	969
Sadler, Durham	34	4	83	3	967
Friday, Raleigh	11	1	26	1	964
Crowder, Winston-Salem	23	5	22	1	964
Padgett, High Point	12	1	23	1	960
Frenick, High Point	34	12	46	2	960
Ellington, Danville	35	6	44	2	960
Ferris, Greensboro	19	2	20	1	957
Wilson, Danville	29	5	40	2	957
Gibson, A., Durham	31	9	71	4	952
Haury, Winston-Salem	8	2	17	1	950
Lloyd, Durham	12	1	34	2	946
Crews, Greensboro	38	5	59	4	941
Riel, Raleigh	28	2	54	4	933
Jackson, Greensboro	34	4	59	5	926
Lankenau, Greensboro	24	1	35	3	923
Rogers, Durham	12	1	17	1	947
Manouk, Winston-Salem	13	3	15	1	947
Zellars, Raleigh	9	2	14	1	941
LaaCloustra, Winston-Salem	14	2	13	1	937
Allen, W., Raleigh	8	5	8	1	929
Lee, High Point	14	2	22	2	923
Edwards, Raleigh	11	11	24	3	921
Harris, Leo, Danville	26	4	41	4	918
Gibson, C., Winston-Salem, Raleigh	12	0	10	1	909
Dudley, Raleigh	21	16	28	5	898
Purcell, High Point	11	2	14	2	889
Lowry, High Point	14	2	14	2	889
Driver, Raleigh	20	6	15	3	875
Mott, High Point	15	0	21	4	840
Watts, Danville	5	1	4	1	833
Twombly, Danville	34	4	34	8	826

Individual Batting.

Player	G	AB	R	H	TB	2B	3B	HR	SH	BB	HB	SB	SO	A
Smith, C., Ral.	112	440	107	184	334	28	25	24	6	27	6	4	17	418
McLeod, W.-S.	13	39	7	16	23	1	3	0	0	0	0	0	8	410
Trexler, Dan.	127	487	106	186	310	28	8	22	15	40	6	28	15	382
Davis, H. P.	11	36	7	14	20	4	1	0	0	4	4	1	2	380
Dudley, Ral.	28	59	9	22	31	2	2	1	3	4	1	0	13	373
Jesmer, Dan	12	43	3	16	17	1	0	0	3	1	1	1	7	372
Long, W.-S.	88	391	74	141	195	26	11	2	7	13	0	14	32	361
Kane, H. P.	123	533	102	189	298	39	11	16	15	33	4	16	35	355
Waldrop, R	55	227	54	80	125	16	10	3	7	12	1	4	22	352
Irby, H. P.	121	502	105	172	336	38	7	4	7	69	10	15	18	343
Thrasher, L.HP	126	505	100	173	273	37	9	15	12	47	5	6	10	343
Regan, Dan.	116	380	84	128	190	25	8	7	18	39	6	46	75	337
Meekin, HP	49	179	31	60	95	13	2	6	5	10	5	2	14	335
Shay, G.	119	478	69	160	235	41	2	10	8	60	8	31	34	335
Thrasher, G.H.P	34	135	22	45	77	14	0	6	2	13	1	2	11	333
Crews, G.	50	133	21	44	56	6	0	2	2	9	0	0	15	330
Thompson, HP	120	417	72	137	204	36	5	7	14	48	1	4	27	329
Gooch, Dur.	122	451	67	147	216	19	10	10	10	52	3	15	26	326
Anderson, W.S.	115	423	62	138	204	29	11	5	24	35	5	10	28	326
Allison, W.S.	79	292	47	95	128	14	2	5	8	13	4	17	19	325
Smith, T. Dan.	117	423	91	137	197	26	5	8	22	42	1	25	27	324
Clark, W.S.	94	362	62	119	176	24	12	3	5	37	1	21	21	329
Kiefer, R	21	53	6	17	22	3	1	0	5	1	1	0	13	321
Rogers, Dur	44	137	13	44	60	8	1	2	6	11	1	1	9	321
Sullivan, R	38	151	30	48	73	5	7	2	4	11	3	2	19	318
Johnson, R.	29	124	21	39	53	8	3	0	2	9	1	0	4	315
Harris, D., G.	28	96	19	30	55	6	2	5	0	8	3	3	6	313
Dorman, Dan.	126	493	107	154	211	30	6	5	17	58	17	33	28	312
Cox, G.	126	477	90	147	234	31	4	16	19	41	5	19	19	310
O'Hara, G.	124	486	89	150	198	25	4	5	26	55	12	23	26	309
Heckel, Dan	12	39	8	12	16	1	0	1	2	5	0	0	7	308
Barrett, R.	53	192	37	59	106	7	8	8	4	20	1	7	20	307
Conley, G.	117	407	66	124	191	31	3	10	9	74	5	19	39	305
Carroll, G.	120	455	64	138	188	31	2	5	15	29	9	26	27	303
Whitted, Dur.	23	89	13	27	42	6	3	1	2	8	2	9	10	303
Butts, Dur.	58	210	35	63	91	10	6	2	4	25	0	6	7	300
Schmidt, HP	126	481	84	144	197	30	4	3	17	47	1	8	42	299
Landreth, WS.	17	71	10	21	27	1	1	1	0	5	0	3	5	296
McC'll'gh, WS.	105	368	61	109	150	31	2	2	18	50	6	27	62	296
Driver, R	26	51	10	15	22	5	1	0	1	1	2	2	11	294
Leard, Dan.	122	433	81	127	171	27	7	1	20	66	10	37	23	293
Marlette, WS.	17	62	7	18	26	6	1	0	1	4	2	1	2	290
Herndon, HP.	73	299	71	86	131	17	2	8	11	31	0	9	36	288
Pierre, G.	109	408	61	117	138	17	2	0	16	41	3	15	11	287
Teague, G.	120	414	60	119	181	31	5	7	21	28	3	13	12	287
Murphy, Dan.	110	414	72	119	182	29	5	8	21	28	5	13	37	287
Dayton, Dur.	83	303	30	87	113	12	1	4	6	27	2	15	19	287
Friday, R.	11	35	5	10	13	1	1	0	1	0	0	0	3	286
Duncan, R.	124	476	96	136	182	22	9	2	7	50	2	13	15	286
Heine, Dur.	121	508	92	145	193	21	9	3	12	40	2	25	39	286
Black, WS.	109	410	62	117	139	20	1	0	18	42	4	6	15	285
Benson, Dur.	108	369	41	102	126	18	3	0	18	42	1	6	25	283
Manouk, WS.	13	39	7	11	15	1	0	1	0	3	0	0	3	282
Resco, Du-Da.	120	421	49	118	174	17	6	9	11	54	3	13	53	281
Tolbert, HP.	106	357	59	100	167	22	6	11	6	57	2	4	28	280
Graves, R.	128	484	45	134	168	16	9	0	20	38	1	6	41	277
Morbach, G.	14	29	2	8	8	0	0	0	2	1	1	0	5	276
Carey, R.	77	315	52	86	102	10	3	0	4	34	3	6	21	273
Edwards, R.	56	189	26	51	76	8	4	3	2	23	3	6	32	270
H'hold, WS.	54	142	25	38	49	5	0	2	1	7	1	3	20	267
St'field, Dur.	105	397	63	106	146	22	9	0	25	43	8	9	14	267
McMillan, Dur.	63	221	17	59	68	5	2	0	10	17	5	1	11	267
Lennox, R.	128	458	70	122	175	24	10	3	29	53	0	13	53	266
Faber, WS.	85	309	39	82	118	15	6	3	8	20	2	5	31	265
Myers, Dur.	32	117	7	31	40	4	1	1	7	5	3	3	6	265
L'cloustra, WS.	14	19	4	5	7	0	1	0	3	6	0	1	4	263
Winston, Dan.	14	57	9	15	24	1	1	2	4	3	0	2	10	263
Overton, HP.	99	352	71	91	132	24	1	5	21	54	3	11	43	259
Valentine, R.	28	70	10	18	27	2	2	1	2	5	0	0	9	257
Uzzell, G.	48	110	12	28	35	4	0	1	4	8	10	1	6	255
Hamby, WS.	103	350	56	89	133	19	5	5	6	43	4	1	31	254
Siner, R.	102	351	54	89	122	14	8	1	14	35	8	11	30	254
Miller, WS.	33	83	19	21	27	4	1	0	1	4	2	1	16	253
Jackson, G.	34	79	4	20	22	2	0	0	2	6	0	0	26	253
Harris, L., Dan.	49	115	13	29	39	4	0	2	3	8	2	1	14	252
Carter, WS.	116	407	60	102	128	14	6	0	20	31	2	14	20	251
Sessions, R.	57	200	26	50	67	5	3	2	11	10	3	2	18	250
Maitland, Dan.	12	28	2	7	10	3	0	0	0	2	0	0	3	250
Watts, Dan.	5	8	0	2	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	250
Crowder, WS.	27	72	3	18	21	3	0	0	2	3	0	0	10	250
Anderson, R.	12	41	3	10	13	1	1	0	0	3	0	0	4	243
Magrann, G.	123	420	57	102	142	24	2	4	24	47	2	9	39	243
Kearney, Dan.	87	281	36	68	107	16	4	5	9	18	8	2	51	242
Land, Dan.	24	83	8	20	23	3	0	0	3	3	2	0	3	241
Winkler, WS.	25	100	12	24	28	2	1	0	0	11	0	1	10	240
Viguerst, Dur.	74	259	36	61	91	8	8	2	6	26	2	5	9	235
Lloyd, Dur.	14	39	5	9	12	6	0	1	0	2	0	0	8	222
Allen, C.G. Dur.	35	67	3	15	18	1	1	0	4	1	0	1	8	224
Mott, HP.	19	59	2	13	15	0	0	1	1	1	0	0	9	220
Wilson, Dan.	29	81	10	17	27	4	0	2	9	5	5	1	16	210
Fuhrey, WS.	84	309	40	64	73	7	1	0	19	36	5	19	24	207
Cochlin, Dan.	76	255	22	51	67	9	2	1	13	24	2	2	23	200
Riel, R.	31	75	9	15	17	0	1	0	3	6	0	0	25	200
Gibson, Dur.	31	101	10	20	31	2	3	1	0	3	0	0	21	198
Brittain, Dur.	20	57	7	11	16	1	2	0	1	3	0	2	27	193
Ellington, R.Da.	38	83	7	16	20	1	0	1	4	1	0	0	8	193
Powell, HP.	21	47	5	9	11	2	0	0	2	8	1	1	4	191
Lowry, HP.	17	48	9	9	12	3	0	0	3	3	0	0	11	188
Hunter, HP.	14	33	0	6	10	4	0	0	1	1	0	0	11	182
Jones, R.	20	68	9	12	22	4	0	2	1	7	1	0	14	176
Savage, R.	13	47	2	8	8	0	0	0	1	3	0	0	10	170
Haury, WS.	8	18	2	3	3	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	5	167
Minter, R.	8	24	3	4	4	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	1	167
Eldridge, HP.	38	97	7	16	19	3	0	0	11	8	0	0	9	165
Lee, HP.	14	31	0	5	5	0	0	0	1	3	0	0	7	160
Hayworth, G.	33	78	5	12	14	2	0	0	3	12	3	2	7	154
Alexander, R.	22	78	3	12	18	4	1	0	3	3	0	0	13	154
Lowe, Dan.	11	33	2	5	5	0	0	0	2	0	1	0	1	152
Caviness, Dan.	7	20	4	3	3	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	6	150
Padgett, HP.	12	34	2	5	6	1	0	0	0	4	0	0	11	148
M'Whorter, HP	7	15	3	2	2	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	2	133
Sadler, D.	56	129	15	26	33	5	1	0	8	15	1	0	14	124
Stiteler, Dur.	33	81	5	9	9	0	0	0	3	3	0	0	19	111
Frenick, HP.	35	88	5	9	11	2	0	0	6	1	0	0	11	102
Allen, W.R. WS.	8	11	2	1	1	0	0	0	1	3	0	0	4	091
Ferris, G.	20	35	2	3	3	0	0	0	1	3	0	0	5	086
Twombly, Dan.	34	73	6	6	9	0	0	1	5	8	0	1	27	082
Gibson, C.W. R.	12	25	1	2	3	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	080
Purcell, HP.	11	26	2	2	3	1	0	0	0	3	0	0	9	077
Lankenau, G.	25	59	3	4	4	0	0	0	8	3	0	0	19	068
Toles, Dan.	5	9	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	000
Zellers, Ral.	9	13	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	000

Pitchers' Records.

Players	G	Ip	Ab	H	R	Sh	Bb	Hb	So	Wp	Bk	W	L	T	G	G	O	A
Friday, R.	11	81	341	87	40	9	36	1	52	3	1	8	2	1	7	1	2	800
M'land hp-g-d.	12	74	295	79	42	3	29	3	25	2	0	6	2	0	8	3	1	750
Kiefer, hp-w-r	16	117	444	114	55	15	39	3	17	0	0	11	4	0	10	1	8	733
Twombly, da	35	219	859	234	117	21	73	9	83	3	0	16	7	1	18	6	1	696
Mott, hp.	15	128	491	143	69	15	49	2	51	2	0	9	4	0	12	3	0	690
Crews, g.	36	261	1020	281	151	35	80	10	96	4	1	22	10	0	23	5	3	688
M'Whorter, hp.	6	33	144	46	31	4	15	2	5	1	0	2	1	1	2	2	0	667
Eldridge, hp.	35	254	1006	281	127	32	38	5	59	2	0	20	10	1	27	4	4	667
Harris, L., da.	29	194	728	185	101	27	56	9	101	6	0	14	7	1	14	6	1	667
Wilson, da	31	502	641	189	98	21	45	5	63	1	0	14	7	1	12	7	1	667
Lankenau, g.	23	168	683	187	92	20	31	2	45	3	0	11	6	1	11	3	0	647
Gibson, S.B. da.	40	250	949	255	115	31	69	7	120	7	0	19	11	1	20	12	4	633
Haury, dur.	8	54	200	53	36	9	22	1	14	3	0	3	2	0	4	2	1	600
Lacloustra, ws.	12	56	240	70	33	15	15	2	15	0	0	3	2	0	3	4	1	600
Miller, r-ws.	31	209	788	248	116	34	66	4	42	1	0	13	9	1	9	8	0	591
Crowder, ws.	22	146	541	145	67	10	69	3	67	0	1	10	7	1	9	6	0	588
Driver, r	17	103	401	115	57	11	33	1	33	2	0	7	5	1	9	6	1	583
McLeod, ws	9	67	221	70	45	10	38	2	28	1	0	4	3	0	6	1	1	571
Riel, r.	27	188	755	222	122	36	75	4	66	2	1	13	11	1	19	3	1	542
Dudley, r.	20	126	475	142	86	33	63	7	22	1	0	7	6	2	10	1	0	538
O'Quinn, g.	44	273	1025	252	142	31	97	10	116	2	0	16	15	1	21	9	3	516
Watts, dan	5	86	25	20	1	8	3	10	0	0	0	1	1	0	2	0	0	500
Allen, C.G. du.	23	145	567	156	84	21	49	7	55	1	0	9	9	0	12	5	0	500
Lowry, hp.	14	87	371	127	72	12	35	2	29	1	0	4	4	0	7	4	0	500
Smith, C. r.	6	34	138	49	28	6	18	1	12	0	0	2	2	0	3	2	0	500
Duncan, r.	5	27	110	39	23	5	11	1	3	2	0	1	1	0	0	4	0	500
Lloyd, dur.	12	87	351	98	61	6	38	0	37	211	5	5	1	9	1	0	0	500
Frenick, hp.	34	212	832	249	139	27	264	4	76	3	0	12	13	1	16	12	0	480
Hengehold ws.	36	210	843	219	108	24	95	16	107	6	0	11	13	1	17	12	1	458
Ferris, g	19	98	386	130	58	14	24	2	23	0	0	4	5	0	6	6	0	444
Hunter, ws-hp.	10	69	237	67	44	20	48	8	15	1	0	4	5	0	5	0	0	444
Caviness, dur.	7	48	193	65	34	5	8	4	17	1	0	3	4	0	4	2	0	429
Manouk, w	12	88	325	78	47	11	31	6	24	3	0	4	6	0	9	1	0	400
Sadler, du.	34	241	957	288	149	26	49	18	63	4	2	10	15	1	23	4	0	400
Gibson, A. du.	31	238	908	247	135	39	63	10	93	4	0	12	18	0	23	14	2	400
Valentine, r.	15	96	374	132	62	20	41	1	27	3	0	5	8	0	7	2	0	385
Ellington, w-da.	35	108	777	237	133	33	69	3	64	3	1	10	6	2	13	10	0	385
Purcell, hp.	11	54	252	72	45	5	28	7	20	11	0	3	5	0	5	2	0	375
Jackson, g.	33	224	836	215	138	33	114	12	72	1	0	10	17	0	16	6	1	370
Lee, hp.	15	90	353	101	62	9	46	3	53	0	1	4	7	0	8	2	0	364
Stiteler, du.	30	207	783	244	151	33	93	11	42	7	0	8	15	0	19	5	1	348
Allen, W. w-r.	8	41	148	41	29	11	19	3	6	0	0	1	2	0	2	3	0	333
Padgett, hp	12	86	314	94	69	22	38	8	31	0	0	2	4	1	5	4	0	333
Waldrop, r.	8	45	158	34	30	11	28	3	18	1	0	1	3	0	2	6	0	250
Rogers, du.	12	87	357	111	64	11	25	2	34	2	0	2	9	0	9	2	0	182
Edwards, r.	19	112	435	136	105	26	70	9	34	3	0	2	1	0	9	3	0	154
Gibson, C. w-r	12	60	241	94	53	15	15	2	12	0	0	1	5	0	4	2	0	143
Zellars, r	8	33	42	42	29	7	22	2	12	0	0	0	5	0	2	1	0	000
Toles, dan.	5	21	90	27	17	1	8	1	7	1	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	000

American League

YANKS 8; BOSTON 3.

(By The Associated Press.)

BOSTON, Sept. 27.—New York defeated Boston 8 to 3 today but in hte eighth inning Rightfielder Bob Musel injured his left leg in sliding into the home plate and had to be carried from the field. He succeeded in scoring from first on Schang's single.

When the New York team arrived in Boston this morning. First Baseman Pipp stepped off the car and because there was no porter's step in place sprained his ankle and could not play. Xray photographs of both injuries will be made to determine whether any bones were broken.

Pipgras' pitching today was effective Boston bunched four hits in the sixth and made three runs.

Score: R H E
New York .. 303 000 020—8 10 0
Boston ..... 000 003 000—3 8 3

Pipgras and Schang; Fullerton, Piercy and Picinich.

DETROIT 5: CLEVELAND 4

DETROIT, Sept. 27.—Detroit advanced a game nearer second place today by winning from the Cleveland Indians, 5 to 4. Today's victory places the Tigers within two games of second place held by the Indians. Heilmann in four trips to the plate got but one hit, a home run. It was his eighteenth of the season.

Score by innings: R. H. E.
Cleveland ....102 001 000—4 11 1
Detroit .....000 041 00x—5 9 1

Shaute and Myatt. O'Neill; Cole, Dauss and Bassler.

Sarazen Defeats Long Jim Barnes In Dramatic Game

(By The Associated Press.)

PELHAM MANOR, N. Y., Sept. 27.—Gene Sarazen, the black haired youth who stood the golfing world on its head in 1922 with his amazing game, stepped to the fore today and the professional golfers' association championship and won his way to the semi-finals over long Jim Barnes. The match ended on the 36th and last hole, rather dramatically.

Tomorrow Sarazen who won the professional and the open championships last year, will meet "Wee Bobby" Cruickshank of Westfield, N. J., who triumphed today in an extra hole match with William MacFarlane, of Tuckahoe. Cruickshank won at the 39th. In the other half of the semi-finals Walter Hagen, victor over Fred McLeod, of Washington, five up and four, will play "Dapper George" McLean Kirkwood, the Australian, five and four.

VAST FOREST LACKS SUPERVISION

MISSOULA, Mont., Sept. 27.—There are approximately 2,000,000 acres of forest land in Montana and Idaho without either federal or state supervision, according to L. F. Knipp, of Washington, assistant forester, who has just completed an inspection trip through the two states.

Because of the vast expanse of the public domain lands, administration by private owners is impossible, he said. The land is classified as suitable for reforestatio or grazing.

BURKE TO BOX MARTIN

(By The Associated Press.)

CLEVELAND, Sept. 27 — Martin Burke, local heavyweight has been matched to box Bob Martin, heavyweight champion of the A. E. F., at New Orleans on October 8 it was announced here today. The match is scheduled for 15 rounds to a decision.

N. Y. Giants Met Mackmen For 3rd Time In 1913

BY JOHN B. FOSTER
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The New York Giants battled it out with the Philadelphia Americans for the third time in the 1913 world series, losing four out of five games to the tribe of Mack. The Giants were badly crippled before they went into the series, and never had a chance. They were not the team that had set the National League on fire during the season. The record:

At New York, October 7, Philadelphia, 6; New York, 4.

At Philadelphia, October 8, New York, 3; Philadelphia, 0, (10 innings.)

At New York, October 9, Philadelphia, 8; New York, 2.

At Philadelphia, October 10, Philadelphia, 6; New York, 5.

At New York, October 11, Philadelphia, 3; New York, 1.

Players for the winning Philadelphia team were Connie Mack, manager; McInnis, 1b; Collins, 2b; Baker, 3b; Barry, ss; Oldring, lf; Strunk, cf; Murphy, rf; Schang, c; Lapp, p; Bender, p; Plank, p; and Bush, p.

Players for the Giants were John J. McGraw, manager; Merkle, 1b; Wiltse, 1b; Snodgrass, cf-1b; Doyle, 2b; Herzog, 3b; Shafer, cf-3b; Fletcher, ss; Murray, lf-rf; Burns, lf; McLean, c; Wilson, c; Meyers, c; Mathewson, p; Marqu

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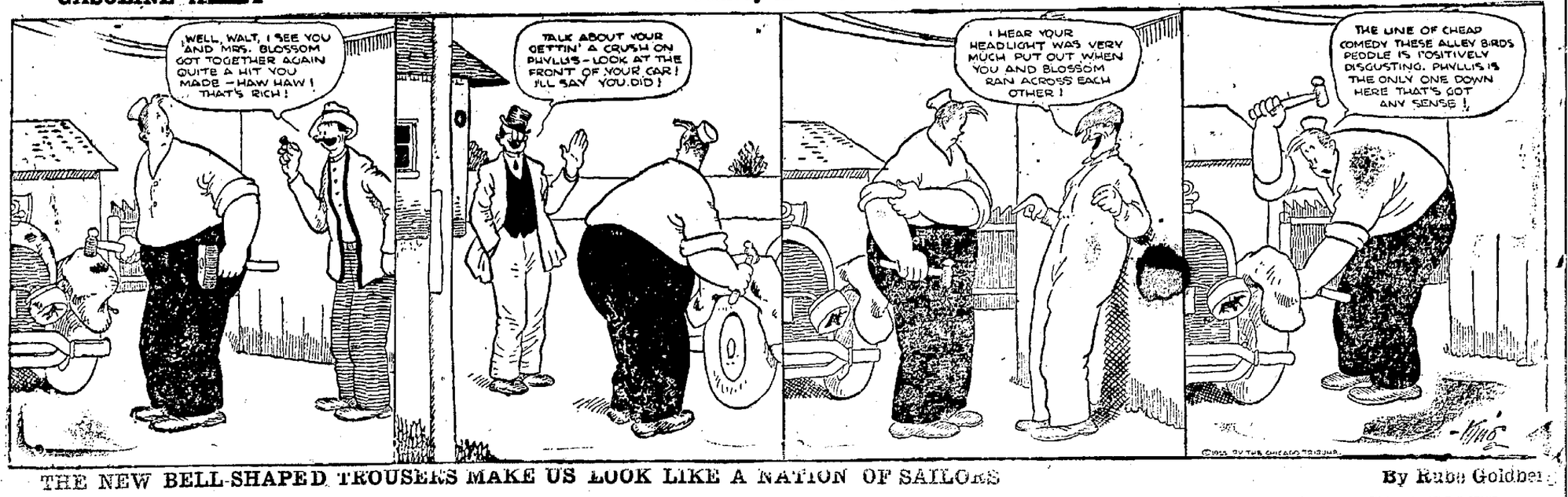
Doris Makes Up Her Mind

GASOLINE ALLEY Comedy in Four Acts By King



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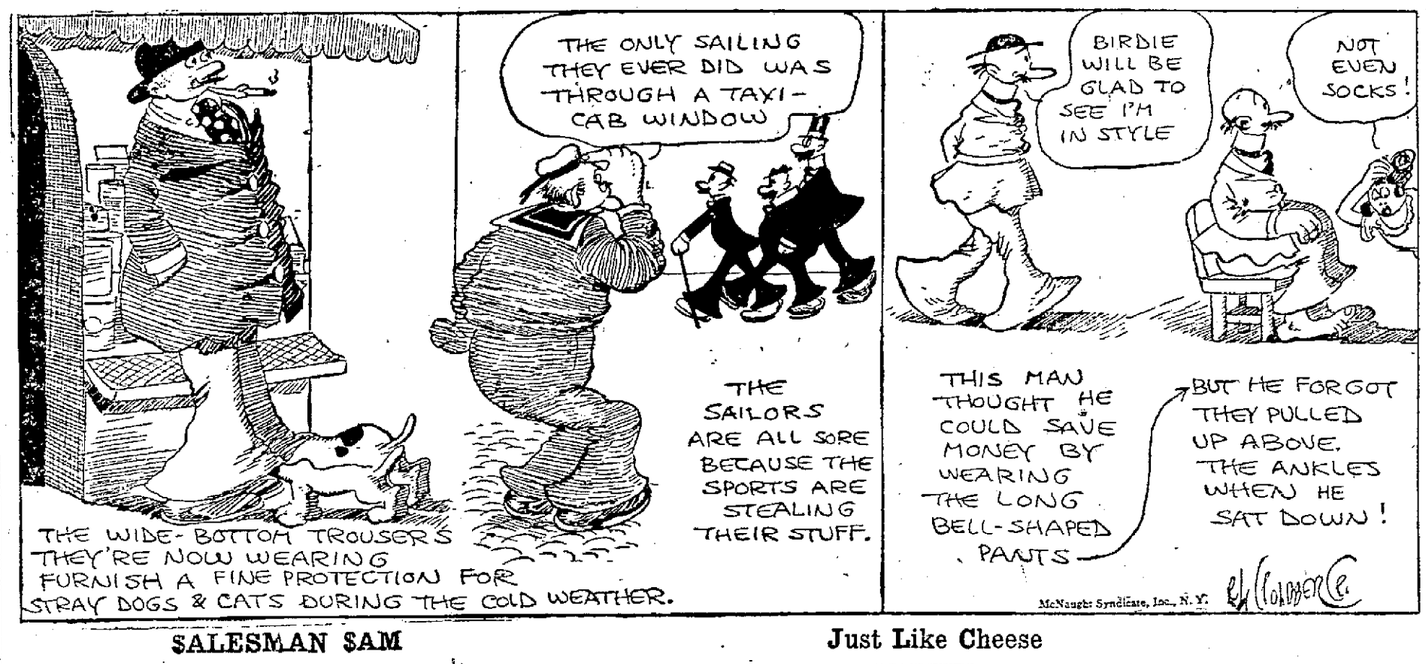

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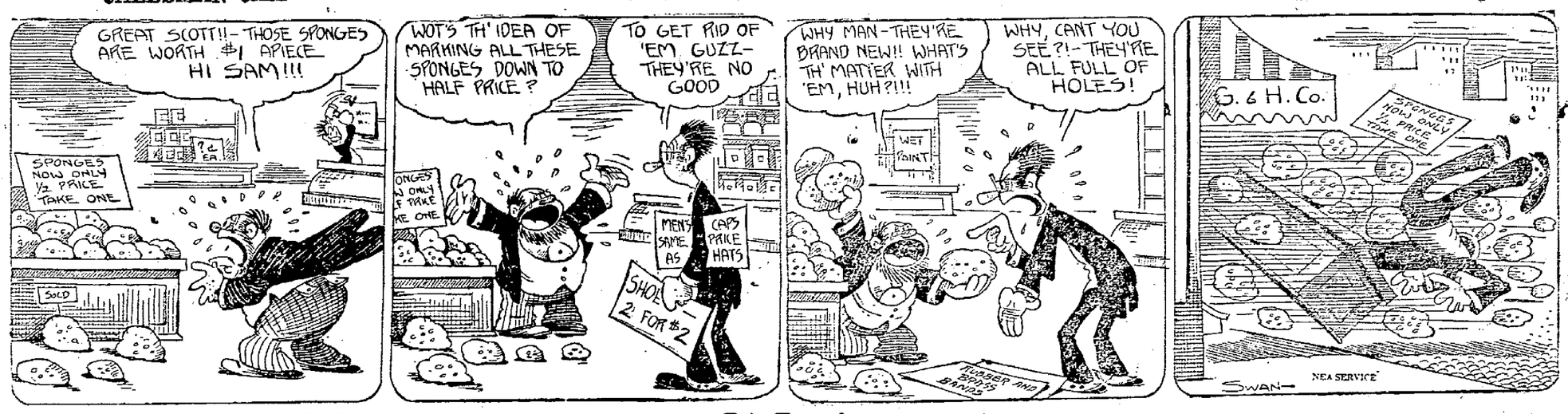

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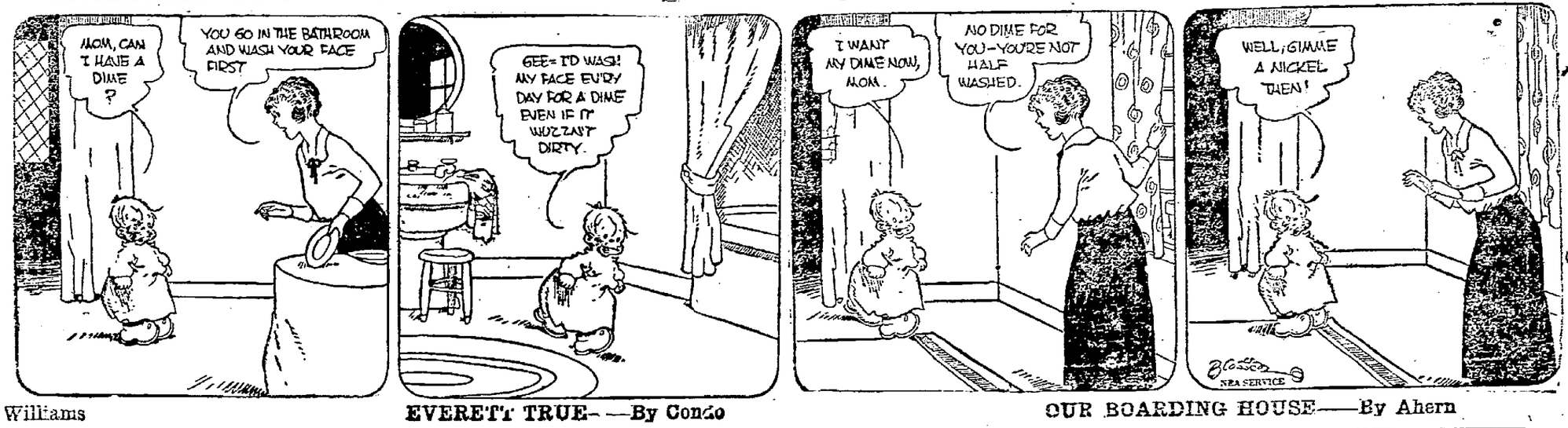

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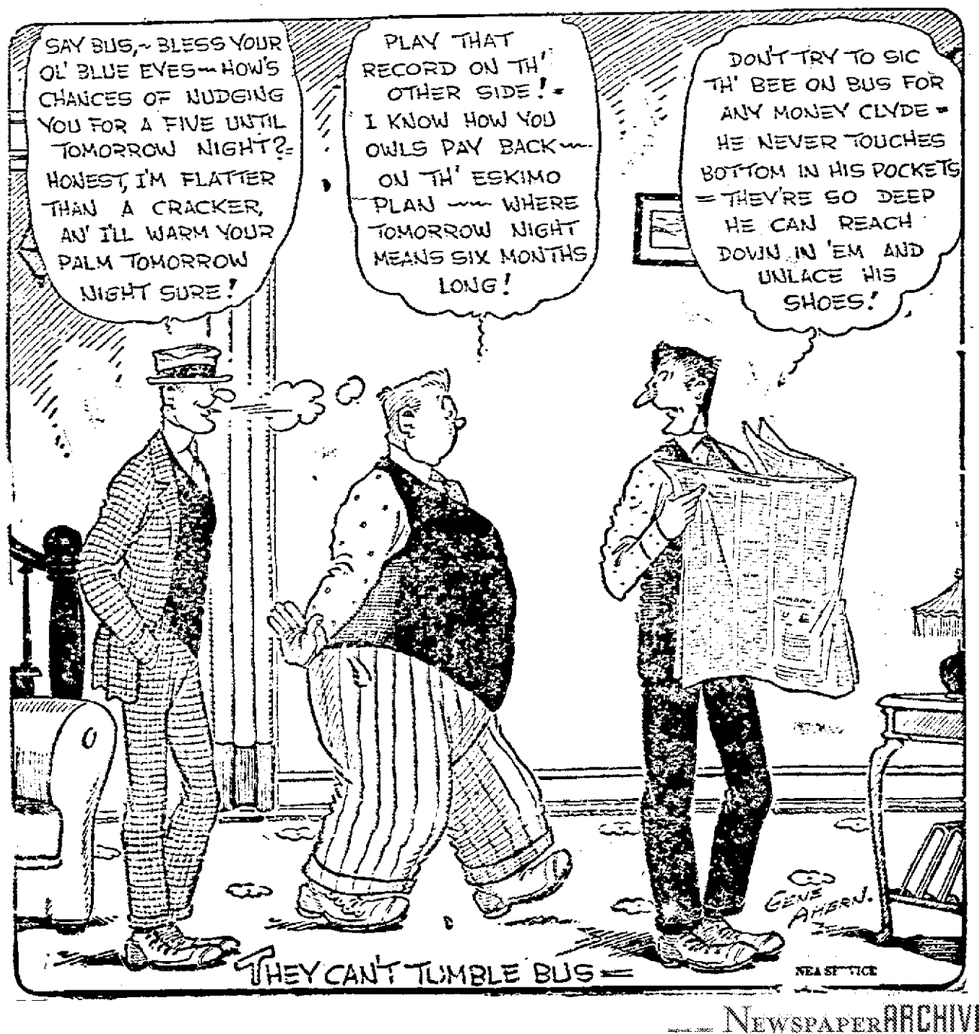

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9-21Rfri-su-tu. Bfri-mo-we-4wks

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RECESS TAKEN BY YARBROUGH JURY

(By The Associated Press)

MACON, Sept. 27—The jury deliberating on the case of Dr C A Yarbrough charged with riot in connection with the flogging of W. C Barnnett, late tonight took a recess until tomorrow without reaching a verdict. At 11 o'clock the jurors had deliberated for 31 hours

Other pending flogging cases today were postponed. Solicitor Moore announced to the court that one of chief witnesses Melton Britt, in the case against J. C Alexander had disappeared and the state would be unable to go to trial at this time.

Solicitor Moore said that all flogging cases would probbaly go over until December unless Judge Gunn decided to call a special term in November.

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HORNSBY BELIEVES HE HAS RECEIVED UNJUST DEAL

(By The Associated Press.)

ST. LOUIS, Sept. 27 —Belief that his $500 fine and indefinite suspension imposed for refusing to play in yesterday's game with Brooklyn, is "merely a fine excuse to place me on the trading block this winter," was expressed tonight by Rogers Hornsby, second baseman of the St Louis Nationals

Hornsby who claims he was dealt with unjustly, made the statement despite repeated announcements by Sam Breadon president of the club that Hornsby would not be sold or traded

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PARIS SHOPS PICKETED STRIKING MODISTES

PARIS, Sept 26 There is a "help wanted" sign and three gendarmes at the door of every one of the most famous Paris millinery shops Distinguished foreigners and French fashionables, including Madame La Marechale Joffre, are in distress because delivery of hats promised for certain dates is now indefinitely held up, The French Minister of Labor himself is doing the best he can for everybody, but the modistes are still on strike

While employers are hesitating to pay $6 75 a week, modistes today attempted to picket the millinery shops in the neighborhood of the Madeeline and along the Rue de la Paix.

'Circulez mademoiselles circulez gendarmes,' is exhorted paternally on every corner where groups of modistes repowdered their noses and told each other excitedly the latest encounter with strikebreaker or gendarme. Whenever, the newpaper camera man appeared every modiste in sight rushed up with glad cries to be photographed

WOMAN KILLED IN CRASH OF CAR UNDER BRIDGE

(By The Associated Press.)

COLUMBUS, Ga, Sept. 26—Miss Mannie Key was instantly killed and six other persons injured near Chipley, Georgia, tonight when an automobile in which they were riding crashed into a railroad underpass support. Those injured were Mr and Mrs M L. Key. M. L. Rosell, a taxicab driver. James Tillman, Mable Key and Travis Key. The party was returning from a family reunion held at Primrose, Ga

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BY GRAFTON WILCOX
(By Chicago Tribune Service.)

WASHINGTON, Sept. 27.—Fred Upham, treasurer of the Republican National Committee saw President Coolidge today and talked with him as the new leader of the party, over the location of the next convention.

The president of course, was neutral on the subject, but said he thought that all cities who may bid for the honor of the convention should be given the utmost consideration.

"I assured the resident," said Mr. Upham, "that the national committee at its meeting in December, would give thorough consideration to the claims of all cities for the convention. As far as I was personally concerned I told the president that Chicago was out for the convention strong from now on and personally I believe that it will be awarded to Chicago by the committee when all things are considered."

Only two other cities are now bidding seriously for the convention They are San Francisco and Cleveland The fact that San Francisco is bidding for both conventions in the opinion of some Republican leaders who have recently expressed themselves on the subject, will militate against awarding the Republican convention there. Cleveland may have a chance, however, according to some Republican leaders, and and her greatest argument will be that the convention should go there as a tribute to the late President Harding. Mr. Upham is discussing the chances of San Francisco said that inquirers would be likely to discover differences of opinion regarding them.

"Personally I do not believe the convention will be sent to San Francisco," he said. "If you talk to William H Crocker, national committeeman from California you will get a different opinion. Mr. Crocker thinks that the convention will be awarded ti San Francisco. What Cleveland is doing I do not know. But Chicago wants the convention and I think Chicago will get it.

Mr Upham's call at hte White House was his first visit to Mr. Coolidge as president of the United States. The president insisted that he remain as his guest for luncheon and during his stay in Washington.

"I accept the invitation," said Mr. Upham, "and early tomorrow morning I am going for a long walk with the president I think that the new president is getting along wonderfully and it is well known that the admiration for him in the middle west is increasing every day."

DEMONSTRATION STRIKE

(By The Associated Press.)

DUSSELDORF, Sept. 27.—A demonstration strike for a period of twenty four hours was declared today among the miners in the Gelsenkirchen. Reichlinghausen and Wanne districts, the Ruhr mining center. It was designed to show the workers' disapproval of the abandonment of passive resistance.

WEATHER

Virginia: Unsettled on the coast and fair in interior Friday: Saturday cloudy: mild temperature.

BIG BOMBER ON TOUR

DAYTON, Ohio, Sept. 27.—It was definitely decided by McCook Field officers today to send the Barling bomber, premier among the world's large aeroplanes on a tour that will include a number of the country's largest cities.

NEWSPAPER STARTED

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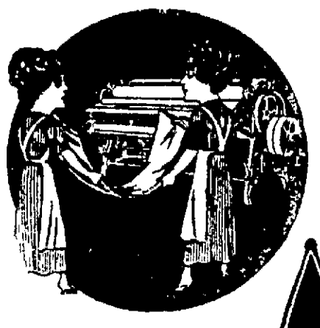

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(Noon Report.)

Atchison	96½
Anaconda Copper	39¼
Allied Chemical & Dye	62
Amer. Smelting & Refining	57
American Beet Sugar	34⅛
American Locomotive	69¾
American Tel. & Tel.	122¾
American Agr. Chem.	13⅛
American Linseed	16⅞
American Can	31⅝
American Sugar	62¾
Amer. Tob., com.	150½
Amer. Tob., "B"	147½
American Woolen	77⅝
Baldwin Locomotive	115½
Bethlehem Steel "B"	48⅝
Baltimore & Ohio	56⅜
Canadian Pacific	142¾
Coca Cola	74⅝
Chandler Motors	49
Chesapeake & Ohio	61
Cosden & Co.	25½
Corn Products	127
Central Leather	16½
Continental Can	52⅜
Crucible Steel	60
Cerro de Pasco	39⅛
Chino Copper	16½
Chile Copper	26
Cuba Cane Sugar, pfd.	48½
Chicago, R. I. & Pac.	23¾
Chicago, Mil. & St. Paul, pfd.	27½
Chicago & N. W.	64½
Erie, first pfd.	22½
Famous Players-Lasky	71⅞
General Motors	13⅞
General Asphalt	28
Great Northern, pfd.	54½
Gulf States Steel	75½
Houston Oil	50¼
Hudson Motors	23⅝
Inspiration Copper	27
International Nickel	12⅛
Kennecott Copper	33¼
Kelly-Springfield Tire	26
Lima Locomotive	64¼
Missouri Pacific, com.	10¼
Middle States Oil	5
Mont. Ward & Co.	21¾
Marland Oil	23½
North American Co.	21
New York Central	100½
Northern Pacific	57½
N. Y., N. H. & Hartford	11⅞
N. Y. Air Brake "A"	47
N. Y. Air Brake	36¼
Pennsylvania	42
Pacific Oil	36⅜
Pan-Amer. Petroleum	53⅜
Pere Marquette	40¾
Peoples Gas	91
Producers & Rfrs.	23½
Penn-Seaboard Steel	2⅝
Royal Dutch, N. Y.	44
Reading	74
R. J. Reynolds "B"	68
Ray Consolidated	11¾
Replogle Steel	9¼
Rep. Iron & Steel	44
Sinclair Oil & Refining	18
Southern Pacific	86¼
Studebaker Corporation	97¾
Standard Oil of Calif.	51⅞
Standard Oil of N. J.	32¾
Southern Railway, com.	34⅛
Simms Petroleum	7½
Tobacco Products	57¾
Tobacco Prod. "A"	87
Texas Co.	40¾
Texas & Pacific	22⅝
Union Pacific	128½
Utah Copper	60
U. S. Ind. Alcohol	53¾
United States Rubber	39
United States Steel	87¾
Vanadium Corp.	29
Virginia Caro. Chem.	9½
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Union Carbide	54

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Ticker Talk

(Thomson and McKinnon)

NEW YORK, Sept. 28.—St. Louis Southwestern August surplus after taxes and charges $305,074 against $278,079. Eight months $1,722,701 against $995,182.

Ratio New York Federal Reserve Bank 83.7 against 87.7 week ago and 83.7 year ago.

Corn Products directors meet at 2 p. m.

Schaffer Oil and Refining passes quarterly distribution of 1 3-4 per cent. on preferred stock due at this time.

Brotherhoods of Trainmen and Conductors will ask 12 per cent wage increase to replace ten per cent. cut of 1921.

Production in Powell Oil field Texas Thursday was 166,000 barrels.

Canadian Car and Foundary declared two dividends of 2 1-2 per cent. on preferred on account of arrears.

Aggregate July operating income of 72 telephone companies $8,656,056 against 9,558,510 in July 1922. Seven months $80,174,065 against $71,665,205.

New Haven August net operating income $1,641,136 increase $1,015,824. Eight months $7,265,312, decrease $1,349,877.

Commercial Appeal makes condition of cotton crop September 25th 47.8 against government estimate of 54.1 August 25.

Conference at Toronto of U. S. Steam shipmen and Canadian officials fruitless. Manitoba may ask Dominion government to call conference of interested parties in effort to solve grain shipping problem.

Great Northern July net income $3,005,799 against $1,798,619 in August 1922. Eight months $9,766,967 against $8,248,122.

Syndicate announced subscriptions to $172,000,000 Canadian 5 per cent. loan exceed 100,000,000 and cover subscription is assured.

Federal Reserve Board's summary for August and September showed merchandise distribution continues large though seasonal lull was responsible for small decreases in employment and production.

Average price twenty industrials 88.53 unchanged twenty rails 79.05, up .19.

THREE N. C. CONVICTS KILLED BY EXPLOSION OF DYNAMITE

Three convicts one white, were killed today by an explosion of dynamite at a quarry where rock was being blasted for road construction near Cornelius, this county. The white man killed was Hugh Jenkins, serving a five year sentence for automobile theft.

DANVILLE'S BANKING HISTORY

Some interesting history of the Danville banking service was revealed on Tuesday night at the annual rally of the American Institute of Banking when Wilbur S. Rendleman, assistant cashier of the Commercial Bank, read a paper prepared from data he had secured. Mr. Rendleman traced the course of financial institutions in Danville from the first one recorded and traced their development up to the present day. After his opening remarks, Mr. Rendleman unfolded the following history:

The first bank in Danville was the Virginia Bank which occupied a part of a dwelling upon a location, upon the corner of what is now Bank Ally opposite the Elks Home.

In the year 1890 we had the following banks in Danville:

Border Grange, 511 Main street.

Citizens Saving Bank, 205 Riverside Block.

Commercial Bank, 407 Main street.

Johnston & Check, 424 Main street.

Merchants Bank, 512 Main street.

Wm. S. Patton, Sons & Co., 302 Main street.

Planters National Bank, 501 Main street.

The above banks have either failed or merged with one another and the old Commercial is the only one remaining intact of the lot.

Then we come to the year 1907—the year of the great panic—I wonder if any of you present remember those strenous day? We couldn't get any real money for a time and New York banks had the lid closed tight on the currency market—so the banks here got together and had their own money printed which was called "Script" and on December 2, 1907, the following banks were here:

The First National Bank—J. R. Jopling, president; Allan Cucullu, cashier.

Commercial Bank—Jno. F. Rison, president; Chas. L. Booth, cashier.

Bank Of Danville—D. A. Overbey, president; W. E. Griggs, cashier.

Union Exchange Bank—W. W. Williamson, president; W. Tredway Gravely, cashier.

Home Savings Bank—A. M. Southall, president; W. H. Barker, cashier.

Peoples Savings Bank & Trust Co.—R. L. Dibrell, president; W. S. Patton, cashier.

Johnston & Cheek (a private bank)—Chas. L. Holland and E. B. Meade, owners.

The combined capital of the above banks together with securities worth one-third more than the amount of "Script" issued was the security behind the issue of the "Script" and each piece bore interest at 2 per cent per annum—no doubt some of you younger bankers are wondering what became of this "Script"? It was cleared same as your clearings today through the First National Bank—which kept the record—and after being rechecked, the interest figured—and doubly counted—it was burned in the rear of the First National Bank in the small court yard which happened to be there—the First National Bank being at that time next to the present Bijou Theater—Gilmer's present site. Of the banks named above there are only two that remain today—the First National and Commercial. The other banks were all merged with others, until 1910 when the Virginia State Bank was organized with W. W. Williamson, as president and Jas. M. Ley, as cashier, this bank was merged with the Bank Of Danville.

In the year 1909 the American National Bank was organized with H. O Kerns as president and W. H. Barker as cashier.

In 1919 our colored citizens got together and organized a bank of their own with Watkins Thompson as president and M. C. Martin, as cashier.

In 1922 the newest addition to the banking fraternity of our city was organized—The Baby Bank—so to speak—with Jno. B. Anderson as president and R. R. Murray, cashier.

This brings us down to the present moment in the history of banking in Danville, and while we all came out tonight to a get-together-meeting and are supposed to leave figures and balances at our places of work I have gotten together a few figures that I thought might be of interest.

At the last call of the comptroller of the currency on September 14, the figures taken from the banks here today which are as follows. First National, American National, Commercial, Savings Bank Of Danville, and Danville Loan & Saving Corporation, make a good showing:

Combined Capitals are	$628,407.10
Combined Surplus are	721,824.40
Combined Profits & Reserves	415,058.67
Total of above	$1,765,290.17
Combined Deposits	$8,861,300.11
Combined Loans	9,566,999.15
Total Resources all Banks	$12,193,889.45

The banks of our city are all well and able to take of the large and small depositor, our boards are composed of our most efficient citizens, our officers are men of experience, our younger men employed in the banks are young men of hustle and spirit—especially since they joined the A. I. B. and as this chapter is only one unit of its 50,000 members throughout the United States what could we not do with our countrys financial problems could be but work together, and we are doing that "day by day", with "A Bank With A Personality" and "American Service" and the "Chime Clock Ringing", we all know that "Thrift Solves the Problem."

Dr. W. J. Mayo Makes Statement On Cure of Cancer

(By The Associated Press.)

ROCHESTER, Minn., Sept. 28.—At a meeting of the general staff of the Mayo clinic, held a few days ago, Dr. W. J. Mayo referred to recent newspaper comment on his remarks made with regard to the present status of the cancer problem, quoting him as declaring, in substance, that there was no cure for cancer. In the course of a lecture in London in July Dr. Mayo said, "There is no medical cure for cancer," in other words, no medicine taken internally will cure the disease. Continuing, he said that a great deal of experimental work was in progress in all parts of the world, al of which gradually was adding important knowledge concerning this serious disease, but, unfortunately, these investigations, which have been made on animals, have not, as yet, any direct application to human subjects.

Dr. Mayo, in his talk to his staff, said that the cure of cancer depends on diagnosis and removal at the earliest possible time. In some manner, the laity must be taught to understand these truths. Experience in the Mayo clinic has been that 71.8 per cent of patients operated on for cancer when the disease is still localized, that is, has not extended beyond the primary focus, are cured by operation, and the large majority of the remainder greatly benefitted, and many have been cured even when the disease had extended beyond the primary focus.

Surgical operation is the only method of removal to be seriously considered, Dr. Mayo continued, because it permits removal, with the growth, of surrounding tissues and glands that may have become involved in the disease. The X-ray, radium, and other agents have a field of usefulness in connection with surgery, but a patient should not be subjected to X-ray, radium or other similar treatment without careful surgical consultation since, if such agents are used while the disease is still local, and fail to cure, the resultant tissue changes can render impossible surgical operation and may perhaps prevent it. Radiotherapy and other treatment in the hands of trained persons, or those whose practice is limited to one type of treatment, gain an enormous amount of [illegible]. Lacking knowledge, these practitioners are not able to differentiate and apply the method which experience would show to be the best method suited to the individual patient.

Dr. Mayo now permits these statements to be made public in the hope of correcting an unfortunate impression which has been spread by many newspapers in this country. Since his return from Great Britain he has received an enormous number of letters from persons suffering from cancer, the letters containing clippings from newspapers in all parts of the United States purporting to quote him as saying: "There is no cure for cancer," without refuting or to the same statement that surgical removal does cure the disease. What Dr. Mayo actually said was: "There is no medical cure for cancer."

READING WINS EXHIBITION

(By The Associated Press.)

READING, Pa., Sept. 27.— The Reading International League club and the Phila Americans went 12 innings here today to a six-six tie.

MORNING COTTON LETTER.

(Courtesy of Thomson & McKinnon.)

NEW YORK, Sept. 28.—Liverpool is very strong this morning with prices there much better than due. There is more or less profit-taking going on here now before the bureau Tuesday but no change in the general situation. We have had a good reaction. There will be very selling short before the report so that prices are likely to move around nervously. The crop looks so short that all present indications would lead to the conclusion that if July cotton could sell at 30 3-4 cents last year it can certainly do as well as that, if not better, sometime this year.

MORNING STOCK LETTER.

(Courtesy of Thomson & McKinnon.)

NEW YORK, Sept. 28.—A few years ago heavy railroad traffic and fair earnings of railroads would have resulted in a tremendous market and people crowding each other to buy stocks. What is it that restrains activity now? It is fear. A constant agitation to raise wages and lower freight rates and let the road go along as best it can. Presure now being brought to bear to help the wheat farmer at the expense of the railroad and at the same time plans are perfected by the railrod brotherhood to demnd an increase of 12 per cent. in wages.

Rallies have not been very impressive but the general stock market today is in as strong a technical position as I can recall. There has been a lot of liquidation and there are a lot of shorts in the market.

CHICAGO GRAIN.

(Courtesy of Thomson & McKinnon.)

CHICAGO, Sept. 28.—The Northwestern Grain Dealers Association estimates the Canadian wheat crop 39,000,000 bushels of 57,000,000 bushels less than the last government figures. Ordinarily this would be considered quite a factor but at this time it is doubtful whether it will carry much weight as supplies in the aggregate, even conceding that this estimate is accurate, are overwhelming the futures. A setback in corn would make the market healthy although we cannot see any basis for a permanent decline with cash corn in such urgent demand, stocks almost nil and feeders outbidding commercial markets for new corn in the country. Oats are inattractive investment purchase on any small decline.

BULGARIANS CAPTURE TOWN

SOFIA, Sept. 27.— It is officially announced that Bulgarian government troops captured the town of Berkowitza Wednesday night after a sharp struggle. The communists who were holding the town lost heavily. The government casualties were light.

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BULGARS ARMED BY SOVIETS IS SAID IN SOFIA

(By The Associated Press.)

SOFIA, Bulgaria, Sept. 26.—The decisive battle in the communist uprising is being fought in the city of Ferdinand and the village of Berkowitza, which are four miles apart and halfway from Sofia to the Danube, according to a statement issued by the war office.

Five thousand communist and agrarian allies are beseiged there, after having proclaimed a soviet republic and established complete control over the area.

Four thousand soldiers, aided by civilian volunteers, have been carrying out an enveloping operation during the past five days and have drawn apparently around Ferdinand and Berkowitza.

The rebels are armied with soviet rifles and machine guns.

As many of them are army veterans they entrenched themselves in an elaborate syste mof earth works.

Army planes cited over the district, which is mountainous, yesterday and today, dropping appeals inside the rebel lines. These read:

"Bulgarians, you are misled. Return and prevent not only the disruption of the country but the enslavement of yourselves.

"The agents of Moscow are leading you on to suffering and destruction. The government has no mercy on thosepersisting in betraying their count, but full pity on those who lay down their arms."

NEW YORK STOCK MARKET.

(By The Associated Press.)

NEW YORK, Sept. 28.—Considerable irregularity developed at the opening of today's stock market with the usual industrial leaders showing a heavy tone. Baldwin dropped 1⅜, Studebaker one and U. S. Steel and Pan-American yielded fractionally. Jones Bros. tea dropped one point to a new low record for the year. Tobacco Products opened a point higher.

Jones Brothers Tea extended its loss to three points but soon made its gain and started for higher ground. The general list also showed good signs of recovery, Delaware and Hudson, Texas Gulf Sulphur, Bethlehem Steel and Pressed Steel Car showing gains of one to two points. Foreign exchanges opened irregular. German marks improving slightly to 60 cents a hundred million, despite the Reichbank statement showing a weekly increase of more than two quadrillion marks in note circulation.

BANKERS CLOSE ANNUAL MEET

(By The Associated Press.)

ATLANTIC CITY, N. J., Sept. 27.—The annual convention of the American Bankers Association came to a close today after installation of officers, a forum on the federal reserve system and discussion by James M. Beck, solicitor general, of perils which confront America.

Mr. Beck warned of the need for adequate immigration laws to meet, he said, the situation created by the revolutionary and criminal elements in this country.

Two bills will be urged for passage at the next session of Congress, he asserted, one requiring the registration of all aliens in this country and the other making it a crime to conspire to overthrow the national government by force and violence.

The forum on the merits and defects of the federal reserve system at the general session of the convention developed a varfety of opinions indicating that while the system is generally commended, it is susceptible of improvement. The reluctance of state banks to join the system despite constant importunity amounting almost to coercion, was ascribed by Andrew J. Frame, chairman of the board of the Wausesha national, Waukesha, Wis., to their unwillingness to consent to "the injustice which robs 12,000 state banks of, say $100,000,00 annually for the benefit of the rich in the great centers."

NEW YORK COTTON.

(By The Associated Press.)

NEW YORK, Sept. 28.—The cotton market opened steady at an advance of 4 to 15 points on more bullish private crop figures and firm Liverpool cables. The weather news, however was considered more favorable as it was believed that the tropical storm was not likely to strike inland and the opening advance to 28.88 for October and 28.64 for December met considerable southern, western and local selling. This gave the early market an irregular appearance and uncertainty as to the showing of next week's government crop report was increased by the wide range of the private estimates. Four of these were published with condition figures ranging from 48.1 to 52 and crop indication figures from 9,755,000 up to 11,467,000.

Cotton futures opened steady:

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December	28.53
January	28.05
March	27.98
May	27.97

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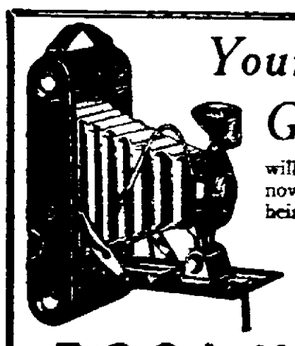

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